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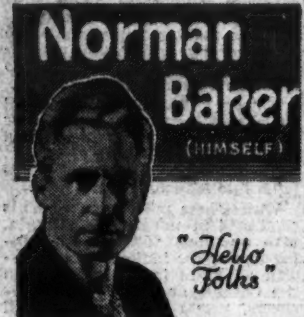
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## BANDITS LOOT SIOUX CITY BANK OF \$4,000



Norman Baker

"Hello Folks"

**NO POOLING**—prosperity is beginning to show itself in a more settled position—a feeling of indifference has changed to one of better thoughts—even the stock markets show a little upward trend—corn and wheat settling a little better—as it naturally will eventually—and nature will take care of its own—natural demand is what will take wheat and corn up—the farm board or the buying of same by them will not produce the necessary rise—YES PROSPERITY seems closer than 30 days ago—It may receive one set back—POLITICIANS, on eve of the Presidential election—let us hope not.

**MONEY**—the people have it—they simply have been afraid to spend it—not all of course—but the great vast majority—the signs of spirited shopping are beginning to show—just as soon as that gets started in full blast—business will start to boom—factories will open—people go to work—and we will forget all about the depression in two years—Muscatine merchants are beginning to feel the better feeling—they are beginning to trade again—business is beginning to show itself—If you have the money—if you were contemplating buying a certain thing at a later date—BUY IT NOW—you will then have more pleasure out of it and it will help everybody.

**POSTOFFICE** General announces that the millions the public is putting into Postal Savings Banks will be re-loaned to private banks if they can put up the necessary security—that will help the banks in communities where help is needed and means the re-lending of the public's money—safely deposited. It should help the banking situation greatly—besides offering better protection for the depositors—the larger capitalists can afford to lose money—but the workers cannot afford it—the postoffice is acting wisely in the matter.

**WHAT THE EYE SEES**—is really startling—little do we realize—of course I don't know it's a fact—but scientists say it's true—that when we look into the sky we see over 2,000 stars—millions of others too far away to see—that probably there are over ONE BILLION some where else—that our little earth is just one of them—maybe so—BUT WHY WORRY ABOUT THEM—there there—"ain't" they?

**POSTMASTER POLITICIANS**—at a recent convention in Omaha—the Postmaster General, Mr. Brown, said "The officers of the executive branch of the government are supposed to be wholly in sympathy with the policies and political views of the man whom the people have elected president"—yes, that's true—and they should be independent enough to have views of their own—WHICH THEY HAVE.

**IN 1930**—24.8 of our entire population—lived on farms—that means 30,447,550 people living on farms—the largest class of people in America—and the poorest organized—If that gang ever does get organized—BY THE WAY—GOOD-BYE TO DEPRESSION! ON ANY FUTURE DEPRESSIONS—they will always get theirs—when they have theirs—we will have ours.

**TAKES**—there is so much being said—so much to still be mentioned—it is a trying question—one that will never be settled to the satisfaction of all—some say tax the rich hard—others say, be fair—others say leave the worker go without taxes—the only fair way will be one that hits all equally—what shall it be?

### OLD MAN BUSINESS IS ON WAY TO RECOVERY

Patient Is Still Bit Wobbly, But Making Fast Recovery

WASHINGTON—(INS)—It sustained over any period of time, the material increases in the prices of oil and wheat offer the most satisfactory indicators of improvement in the business situation that have developed in many months, Dr. Julius Klein, assistant secretary of commerce, declared today.

"Price curves of basic commodities form about as accurate an indicator as any other index, at the present stage of conditions," Klein said.

**Mean Better Business**

"It is a little too early to draw any definite far reaching conclusions as to what the trend in oil and wheat prices mean, but if these increases are at all sustained for the period of time they mean definite business improvement."

Klein called attention to the fact that there has been no material weakening of basic wholesale prices over the last few weeks, a development which he characterized as "of more than ordinary significance."

The wheat and oil price increases were of particular importance, Klein pointed out, because they mean increased buying power for wide areas of the country. This increased flow of money into the hands of consumers will tend to hoodwink buying with a helpful reaction even outside of the wheat and oil territory.

Attention was directed to an already present reaction in public confidence which has resulted from the announcement of the \$100,000,000 credit pool of the National Credit Corporation.

**Money Circulation Declines**

"The decline in money circulation last week undoubtedly was attributable to this renewed confidence," Klein said. "There has been a decided increase in the confidence of the public in the banking structure, as reflected by the drop in circulation, which may be taken

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### Five Des Moines Labor Unions Win Victories

DEMO'S PLANS TAKING SHAPE

Roosevelt Looks Like Logical Candidate For Presidency

By GEORGE R. HOLMES

WASHINGTON—(INS)—Beneath the placid surface of the democratic presidential pool developments are beginning to shape themselves which show the direction of the prevailing wind.

In the order of their importance, these developments might be listed as:

(1)—Ex-Gov. Al Smith's open criticism of Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who by long odds is considered the leading presidential possibility at this time.

(2)—Gov. Albert C. Ritchie's speaking tour of New England, marking the first bit of open campaigning indulged in by any of the democratic possibilities.

Cermak in New York

(3)—The visit to New York this week of Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago.

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### The WEATHER man says

MUSCATINE: SUNSHINE, 0.5; SUN-  
SET, 4.1; RISE, 7.1; FOG, 1.1; WIND,  
STATE OF THE RIVER: 2.1 FEET;  
FALL, 1.1 OF A FOOT.

IOWA: Fair tonight and Tuesday,  
somewhat warmer tonight and in south-  
east and extreme east portion Tuesday;  
cooler in northwest portion Tuesday.

ILLINOIS: Generally fair tonight and  
Tuesday; somewhat warmer, except  
along Lake Michigan tonight.

MISSOURI: Fair tonight and Tuesday;  
somewhat warmer tonight and in  
east and south portions Tuesday.

GENERAL FORECAST: Generally fair  
and somewhat warmer tonight and  
Tuesday; cooler in the north and  
west over the northern portions of  
Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Michigan.  
The temperature will be lowest in  
the north and south portions and in  
the western portion on Tuesday. It  
will be somewhat cooler Tuesday over  
the Midwest, Minnesota, and Wisconsin.

### Farmer Performs Own Operation



John Oglesby, Williamsville, Ill., farmer, who performed operation by cutting off his right hand with a pocket knife after an accident with a corn-husking machine.

### New Theater Ready to Open Here Wednesday

**BOMB HOME TO SILENCE RADIO**

CHICAGO—(INS)—The black powder bomb which exploded on Mrs. Jessie May's doorstep was meant to silence her radio, according to police belief today.

Damage to the extent of \$300, which includes the price of the radio, was wrought by the explosive. Its raucousness had caused a neighborhood quarrel, authorities learned.

**Beauty and Utility Combined in New Uptown Theater**

Work on the new Boston Uptown theater is fast being finished and everything is being prepared for the gala opening of the place on Wednesday evening of this week. There will be no afternoon show at the new theater Wednesday but the box office will be open at 2:30 p. m., at which time anyone wishing to attend the first or second show in the evening may secure the tickets.

The opening will be somewhat unusual in the theatrical field, it was announced today by Ludy Boston, head of the Boston Amusement company which will operate the new theater. Most all of the new theater openings staged in these times are being attended with much higher prices than usual.

**Prices Reasonable**

Mr. Boston announced that instead of following this procedure, he has made arrangements whereby the price will be within reach of all. Prices on the opening night will be 25 cents for the children and 50 cents for adults. Matinee prices for the remainder of the week will be 10 cents for children and 35 cents for adults and evening prices will be 15 cents for children and 50 cents for adults.

The entire week of the theater's opening will be known as "Fiesta Week" and will be arranged to give everyone an opportunity of showing their appreciation.

**Planned in 1929**

Boston's Uptown theater has been under consideration since Nov. 1928, at which time Mr. Boston's plan was announced.

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### 19-Year-Old Servant Girl in Spotlight In St. Louis Gruesome Murder Mystery

**DRUNK BANDIT IN 15 HOLDUPS**

**Tipsy Robber Flees From Police After Being Wounded**

CHICAGO—(INS)—Police today sought a bandit who committed fifteen holdups within an hour last night while in an intoxicated condition.

He was nearly captured when his stolen taxicab crashed into a fence, but escaped after being wounded by police bullets.

**RALPH CAPONE DENIED PETITION OF REVIEW**

WASHINGTON—(INS)—The supreme court today ordered prison doors closed on Ralph J. Capone, brother of Scarface Al Capone of Chicago when it denied his petition for review of his conviction for falsifying his income tax report.

Capone is under sentence of three years in federal prison and \$10,000 fine. He now is at liberty on bail.

The high court's action, which was announced without explanation, leaves Capone only the doubtful recourse of a petition for rehearing.

In completing the prosecution of

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### Open Warfare Develops Between County Officials and Tiger Murderess' Lawyers

By W. H. BISHOP

PHOENIX, Ariz.—(INS)—Open warfare developed today between Maricopa county officials and attorneys for Mrs. Ruth Judd, confessed slayer of Agnes Lerol and Hedwig Samuelson, who were killed here and their bodies sent in two trunks and a suitcase to Los Angeles.

County Sheriff J. R. McFadden

### TWO MEN MAKE GOOD ESCAPE WITH AN AUTO

Police Say Both Men Will Be Caught By Tonight

SIOUX CITY, Ia.—(INS)—Two armed bandits this morning held up employees of the Morningstar Savings bank in a Sioux City suburban district and escaped with between \$3,000 and \$4,000.

One customer, two women clerks and the cashier were in the outer business room of the bank when the bandits entered and ordered them to "Stick 'em up."

**Telephone Police**

The president of the bank, John Scott, Jr., was in his private office at the time. He heard the shouted command and quietly telephoned police.

Before police arrived however the bandits scooped up the cash and fled. Scott picked up a shot gun and rushed to the rear door but it was locked.

He then ran out the front door and fired four shots at the disappearing Chevrolet coupe which the bandit drove. It is not believed that he struck either of the men with his bullets.

**Decline Description**

Police declined to give out the description of the bandits stating that they believed they would have both men in custody by tonight.

Clerks who were in the robbery were rushed to the identification bureau of the police department and attempted this morning to identify the bandits from pictures there.

**Martial Law Again Used in Bridge War**

DURANT, Okla.—(INS)—Undaunted in his determination to destroy any and all efforts to close the Denison-Durant state free bridge over the Red River, Gov. W. H. Murray today again declared martial law by posting troops at the bridge to keep it open.

### LAVAL REACHES FRANCE AGAIN

PARIS—(INS)—Premier Pierre Laval of France returned to Paris at 2:04 p. m. today from the United States, arriving by the boat train from Le Havre, where he disembarked from the Ile De France.

### BANKER FACING ANOTHER TRIAL

Received Money for Bank He Knew Was Insolvent, Said

TAYLORVILLE, Ill.—(INS)—John B. Colegrove, former president of the closed Colegrove State bank, acquitted by a jury on a charge of larceny by embezzlement, will probably be brought to trial on an indictment charging him with receiving money knowing the bank was insolvent, State's Attorney Harry B. Grundy indicated today.

The indictments were returned against Colegrove by the Christian county grand jury following an investigation into the causes of the crash.

Colegrove was tried twice on the embezzlement charge, a conviction at the first trial being set aside by the state supreme court because a witness had been allowed to give "hearsay evidence."

### "CANCEL"

the Ad. "Sold my stove," "Rented my house," "Found the dog," "Got cash for the used furniture."

These are the messages that come over the phone many times daily to Want Ad headquarters at 2900.

E. Denkmann of Durant inserted the following ad and received immediate results.

OAT HULLING—During October and November, 50 bushels or more 3c per bushel. R. Denkmann, Durant, Iowa.

You can get results too. Phone your ad in now.

PHONE 2900

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### ADAMS STRIKES BACK AT LITTLE NAVY PLAN

**FIVE ARE DEAD IN PLANE CRASH**

Hunters Perish When Ship Crashes and Explodes

SEATTLE, Wash.—(INS)—Five men were dead today as the result of an airplane crash in the Cascade mountains, two miles west of the summit of Sno Quamle Pass. The men, all of Seattle, were returning from a hunting trip in eastern Washington when the accident occurred. The victims were burned beyond recognition when the plane burst into flames as it struck.

The dead: John Blume, pilot of the plane; Dr. Russell J. McCurdy, president of the King county medical society; Arthur D. Hoge, president of the Hoge Piston and Ring company; Ray Sutherland and Harold DeSpain, salesmen for the Henry Broderick Real Estate company.

Observers reported the plane was flying dangerously low near Sno Quamle Pass, presumably because of the fog which had settled over the summit.

Pilot Blume was presumably at the controls when the plane crashed near the Sunset highway. The gas tank exploded when the ship struck.

The charred skeleton of a dog was also found in the ruins of the plane.

**Adams Blasts Pacifists**

On every side, politicians were wondering whether Adams' blast against the pacifists could be interpreted as a definite break with the president in his fight with the professional nationalists.

Generally, the secretary's action was regarded as wise, as he would stay on the job and do his best to maintain what he considers an adequate sea force. This was in the face of persistent reports he and Mr. Hoover did not see eye to eye on the subject.

Up to yesterday, Adams had remained studiously silent about the White House controversy with the Navy League, which is going to resolve itself into a public hearing to determine whether the league's refusal to comment on the president's slashing statement charging Gardiner with spreading a "house of falsehoods" about the administration's economic program and demanding an apology.

**Issues Scorching Answer**

Persistent newspaper stories running his possible resignation seemingly goaded him into action. Taking a leaf from the histories of the first two Adams, both renowned as uncompromising fighters for their

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### DOLLAR WHEAT IS PREDICTED

Price Advance Hailed As Forerunner of Prosperous Times

CHICAGO—(INS)—Predictions that wheat will reach the dollar level in its steady rise were current today as business in general throughout the middle west hailed that commodity's advance as a forerunner of prosperity's return.

Wheat in the past four weeks has advanced 37 per cent as the commodity attracted foreign buyers.

Its effect on other commodities has been immeasurable, traders and business leaders declared. The upturn is expected to bolster agricultural products.

"The value of the advance in wheat cannot be expressed in the millions of dollars of potential wealth it has added to the farmers' purchasing powers," Frank A. Thels, president of the Kansas City board of trade declared. "The value of restoring confidence to business is incalculable."

Middle west utilities here reported an increase since last October of 6.3 per cent in electrical consumption in 31 middle western, eastern and western states.

The association of commerce here issued a report showing that all lines of merchandise in the metropolitan area showed an increasing buying stimulus during the past week.

### CANNON DENIES ACT IS LEGAL

Constitutionality Of Corrupt Practices Law Challenged

WASHINGTON—(INS)—Bishop James Cannon, Jr., challenged the constitutionality of the federal corrupt practices act today when arraigned before Justice James M. Proctor of an indictment charging him with violation of the act in failing to report large funds used by him in directing the campaign against Al Smith in 1928.

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## NEW HIGH MARK LOOKED FOR IN POSTAL MONIES

Think Savings Total  
Will Reach Half  
Billion Soon

WASHINGTON, D. C. — (Special) — That the combined savings of its 700,000 depositors will bring postal savings to a new high mark of \$500,000,000 within the near future, is the opinion of W. T. S. Rollins, director of the postal savings division of the post office department.

A change in the type of depositors is noted by Mr. Rollins within the past two months. Previous to that time most of the money was deposited by foreigners who did not understand the national banking system, he says, but since Sept. 1, more Americans are making postal savings deposits. At one time more than 80 per cent of the total deposits were the savings of uneducated foreigners, but today the percentage of Americans depositing has increased to about 60, he declared.

**Old Money Deposited**  
Previous to 1929, when postal savings deposits first began the abnormal increase, depositors frequently opened accounts with old, wrinkled money, which bore every appearance of having been hidden in some tin can, or tree stump for years. Old coins, gold and silver, and soiled bills of all denominations were included in the deposits. Thus the system brought into circulation millions of dollars of hoarded, idle capital.

During the past two months, however, deposits come not only with old money, which has been hoarded for some time, but with weekly pay checks from established business organizations and with accounts transferred from recognized banks, the director said.

**Depositors Increase 300,000**  
Mr. Rollins announced that on June 30, 1930 deposits totaled but \$179,508,223 and the number of depositors was about 400,000. The average saving of each depositor is estimated at about \$715 whereas in June, 1930, the average deposit was about \$450. The number of depositors today is about 700,000.

The department has received charges that the postal savings system is competing with banks, Mr. Rollins announced. He denied that this was the case, stating that the department has not advertised the system to compete with banks but to supplement them.

**Regulation Limits Total**  
After the deposits are received they are deposited into banks which offer sufficient security, according to the director. Through this system the department may be helping banks by getting for them deposits which they would be unable to get.

It is probable postal savings deposits would total more than they now do but for the regulation which limits the amount one person may deposit.

A bill was introduced in congress last year to raise this amount to \$5,000, but it never passed, he said.

Mr. Rollins announced that had this bill been passed it is likely savings deposits would be nearer one billion dollars than \$500,000,000.

**KILLER CLAIMS  
PRISON LONELY**  
MILLER, 35 (INS) — "It's lonesome here," was the complaint today of Russell McWilliams, 37, sentenced to life in the electric chair Dec. 17 for the holdup murder of a street car conductor in Rockford, Ill.

McWilliams, sitting on the edge of his bunk in his jail cell, made his complaint to deputy warden E. M. Stubbfield. Soon after, the prisoner was moved to a cell facing the keeper's desk, where there is constant activity.

Prison officials agreed that the rule of solitary confinement, adhered to in the cases of other convicted killers, could be disregarded in McWilliams' case because of his youth.

**Divorce Decrees in  
October Led Number  
Of Wedding Permits**  
Divorce actions led the number of marriage licenses issued by E. C. Erwin, clerk of the district court, during the month of September. There were eight divorces granted, while six licenses were issued during that period. Eight applications for marriage permits were received.

During the month of September, there were 12 divorce decrees issued and 12 licenses were issued.

**Four Face Justice  
As Result of Fight**  
The hearings of John and Russell McIntyre, on charges of intoxication, disturbing the peace and resisting an officer and of Art and E. C. Smith, on charges of interfering with an officer, were being held late this afternoon before H. D. Horst, police judge.

The four men were arrested early Saturday morning following an alleged "free-for-all" at the Moonlight Inn.

**75,000 Iowans Ask  
For Drivers' Permit**  
DES MOINES, Ia. — (INS) — Seventy-five thousand state auto drivers license applications have been received and licenses will be mailed starting Tuesday, it was announced today.

Applications have been received from all but one county, Ringgold, was said. The license department expects to have distributed 100,000 by January, 1932.

## Interior of New Bostens' Uptown Here



Above is pictured an interior view of the new Bostens' Uptown theater which will be opened to the public Wednesday evening. The insert shows Lady Bostens, head of the Bostens Amusement company, who will operate the playhouse. High class moving pictures and occasional stage presentations will be offered at the theater.

## THEATER TO BE OPENED NOV. 4

Beauty and Utility  
Combined in New  
Uptown Theater

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ten had his first conference with Elmer F. Behrens, Chicago theater architect, relative to converting the old armory building into a modern theater, store and apartment building.

During the next three years preliminary preparations of drawings, specifications and construction were submitted to Mr. Bostens for financing and improvements of the building.

On August 1 of this year a general contract was awarded to the building Projects, Inc., of Milwaukee, Wis., by Mr. Bostens, in the presence of officials of the Titus Loan and investment company and Elmer F. Behrens. The building was financed by the Titus Loan and investment company.

**Interior Unusual**  
A brilliantly illuminated attraction sign and marquee, embellishing the attractions shown within and also serving as a protection for the patron from the elements, has been erected on the exterior of the building.

The vestibule of the theater is richly decorated and depressed mats are flush with the tile floors. The lobby is similarly treated and from there two carpeted grand stairways lead to the mezzanine balcony.

**Like Spanish Court**  
The interior of the theater proper is reminiscent of a Spanish court with its decorative garden walls, colored lighting effects, projecting balconies and is capped with an evening sky, softly twinkling stars and lastly moving clouds.

Added to the enjoyment of the patron are the spring edged, spring seat chairs with an inserted velvet back panel. The heating and ventilation system, furnishes a minimum of 20 cubic feet of air per person in the winter and 40 cubic feet of air during the summer each minute.

The projection room has modern equipment with the best and latest sound devices obtainable. Booth noises are kept from the auditorium by means of glass enclosures.

**Has Children's Playroom**  
In the basement, off the foyer, is a children's playroom where small tots may be left during the theater performance to amuse themselves with various toys that children like.

The interior decorations were arranged by the Walter Instrup company of Chicago which has carried out the decorative scheme in many large and fine theaters, churches, banks, hotels and apartment buildings.

The attraction at the new theater on the opening day will be "New Adventures of a Get-Rich-Quick Wallford," in which William Haines is the male lead. He is ably supported by Jimmy "Schmoze" Durkin, Ernest Torrence, Jack Kirtz and August 19. Robert McGowan, Clara Blandick and Walter Walker.

In addition, moving picture shows stage presentations will be offered from time to time.

**Calvin Jones Fined  
\$500 on Guilty Plea  
To Liquor Nuisance**  
Calvin Jones was fined \$500 and costs by Judge E. L. Ely in district court this afternoon when he entered a plea of guilty to an information filed by County Attorney Harold E. Wilson and charging him with maintaining a liquor nuisance. He paid the fine.

The information to which he pleaded guilty resulted from his arrest on August 19. Another information charging that he maintained a liquor nuisance on June 10, was dismissed by the court.

**EDUCATOR'S RIGHTS HELD  
CHICAGO (INS)**  
Federal services were held today for Dr. Benjamin S. Terry, member of the original University of Chicago faculty.

**With Sick Friends  
At Baker Hospital**  
New patients admitted to the Baker hospital include Mrs. Susan Miller of Indiana, Edward Himelmann of Minnesota, Mrs. Minnie M. Reynolds and George L. Cone of Iowa.

## LOFGREN TO BE SPEAKER HERE

Noted Man Will Talk  
To High and Grade  
School Students

Charles E. Lofgren, personnel officer with the Byrd expedition to the South pole, will tell the interesting story of the conquering of the Antarctic to the sixth, seventh and eighth grade pupils and to the Muscatine high school students at two different assembly programs, Tuesday.

Mr. Lofgren was with Admiral Byrd from the inception of the expedition to the beginning of the lecture tours which followed their return to the United States. The subject of his talk will be "With Byrd at Little America."

Following are some of the questions which he will answer in his talk:

How was the Great Ice Barrier crossed? How was Little America built? What did they have to eat? How was their food kept eatable? How was contact with the outside world maintained? How were the airplanes protected from the weather? What did these men do during the long winter night? Did they get on each other's nerves? What was the secret of the Commander's popularity with his men? What animal life did they encounter on the ice barrier?

**CHINATOWN IN  
CHICAGO RAIDED**  
CHICAGO (INS) — After three hours of systematic raiding in Chicago's Chinatown 42 Chinese, including four alleged ringleaders in an alien smuggling syndicate, were in custody today awaiting deportation proceedings.

Twenty raids by immigration inspectors and police struck simultaneously in the Chinese quarter. Authorities seized more than 200 suspects. All but 42 were released. Immigration authorities announced they had evidence that 3,000 Chinese who have gained entrance to the country illegally are located here.

**Three Go to Jail,  
Two Pay Fines on  
Intoxication Count**  
Of five men arrested Saturday and Sunday nights on charges of having been intoxicated, three were given jail sentences and two fined \$5 and costs when arraigned before Justice H. D. Horst this morning.

William Homaker and Delbert Galt each drew sentences of 15 days in jail. E. Ricketts of Buffalo was ordered incarcerated in the county jail for five days, while Lawrence Martin and Robert Glasgow were each fined.

**DISTRICT COURT**  
F. M. Morrison, examiner in charge of the Nichols Savings bank of Nichols, Ia., which is in receivership, filed his bond of \$20,000 with the clerk of the court today. The bond was executed by the Fidelity Deposit company.

The report of Lawrence Foley, guardian of Lawrence J. Foley and Margaret Foley, minor heirs of Jeanette Foley, deceased, was approved today by Judge D. V. Jackson.

E. B. Patterson, plaintiff in two suits against the Midwest Food Product Corporation, filed an amendment to his petition today. E. B. Jackson is attorney for Patterson.

Notice of dismissal of the suit of Harry Glatstein and Sons against George W. and Louis T. Miller, in which \$290.45 was claimed due, was filed by Attorney H. M. Bartlett, for the plaintiff. Drake and Wilson were attorneys for the defendant.

The final report of Mary I. Smith, executrix of the estate of Elwood W. Smith, was approved by Judge C. L. Ely.

The suit of the Brower Oil company and M. B. Brower against Porter Downey, in which \$125.50 was claimed to be due, was dismissed by Drake and Wilson, attorneys for the plaintiff.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. O'Hair, 615 Iowa avenue, spent the weekend in Centerville, Ia., visiting Mr. O'Hair's mother and sisters.

J. W. Lewis, 611 East Ninth street, picked a peck of green wax beans and pulled a mess of radishes from his garden this morning.

## JUBILEE DAYS HEADQUARTERS ARE ARRANGED

Will Open Office on  
Second Street for  
Bargain Event

Headquarters for the Jubilee days program to be sponsored by Muscatine merchants on Nov. 4, 5, 6, and 7 will be established at 112 East Second street, according to announcement made today by the Retail Merchants' Bureau of the chamber of commerce. This will be the "clearing house" for Muscatine business men during the four day period.

At present more than half the business interests have indicated their intention of joining in staging the biggest bargain event ever held in the city. The committee is still at work and hopes to enroll more than 90 per cent of the retail merchants in the plan before the opening day of the event.

Features planned for the four days which will be offered at the various stores, entertainment, which includes concerts by both the Ziegler band and the Muscatine concert band, a poultry show, and a doll and dog show for the children has been arranged. Prizes will be awarded for the best entries in the poultry show, and the exhibition to be put on by the children.

Another feature of the event will be an arrangement made between the merchants and the Muscatine Coach company by which patrons may secure a free bus ride. Between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. on any of the four days, when a resident boards the bus for the downtown district, they will be given a coupon.

Any person making a purchase of \$1 or more may take the coupon and the merchandise ticket to the jubilee headquarters and receive a ticket good for a return trip on the bus.

**Will Advertise**  
The Jubilee Days in Muscatine have been extensively advertised throughout the city's trade area. For several days windshield stickers have been placed on cars in both local and outlying territory.

This afternoon J. C. Nagle, general chairman of the jubilee, called on the city's business leaders with W. M. Groves, manager of the Muscatine auditorium, to distribute advertising matter in the neighboring towns.

## VARIED CHURCH SERVICES HERE

Entertaining Subjects  
Chosen to Attract  
More People

Being the first Sunday in the new month, the local churches endeavored Sunday to make their services even more interesting than usual. As an added incentive the churches have also joined the national movement to have a larger church attendance this month.

At the Trinity Episcopal church Holy Eucharist was observed by reading the names of the dead members during the services. The sermon, too, was in keeping with the theme.

An event was given by the Rev. J. B. Stanley Jones. Appropriate services were conducted in honor of the golden anniversary of the Girl Reserved at the First Presbyterian church, by the Rev. J. B. Stanley Jones.

The Lord's Supper followed the program at the Zion Lutheran church and the offering received at the services was given toward the erection of the American Lutheran church of which the local denomination is a part.

At the Walnut street Baptist church the "Pastor Trio" made their first appearance Sunday in a series of programs to be given from now until Nov. 15.

About one hundred young people from this district attended the League convention held at Fort Madison, Ia., Saturday at the Santa Fe Avenue Methodist church. One of the features of the meeting was that the group made a trip through the penitentiary located there.

Six young people from this district under the direction of the Rev. F. F. Schwartz, gave talks boosting the Epworth league institute of Mt. Pleasant.

**RIVER JUNCTION**  
RIVER JUNCTION, Ia. — (Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leander, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fairies Sunday evening.

Mr. C. C. Davidson and Kenneth, and Fred Geiselman were in Iowa City Monday on business.

Hull Bradley of Beltrami, Minn., was calling on old friends in River Junction this week.

Richard Woodward of Lorain, O., and Mrs. Everett Nordyke and daughter of Nichols visited at the home of the former's daughter and the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin and family Wednesday.

The Misses Vesta Martin, Dorothy Davis and Beulah Musser visited the school Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull Bradley spent Monday at the home of his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Rose Rayner and family.

Mrs. E. D. Porter visited with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Draper at Lone Tree Wednesday.

The Misses Varda Aubrecht and Edith Stober spent Thursday evening with Dorothy Davis.

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Mr. Mills' body will not be brought back here for burial.

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All representatives of teams wishing to enter either of the three leagues, Sunday School, Factory or Commercial, are asked to communicate with Mr. Lindley at the Y. M. C. A. as soon as possible. Play will begin on December 1.

## Additional Society

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The November committee of the St. Mary's Ladies' Aid society will sponsor a card party and dance Tuesday evening at the St. Mary's school hall. Euchre and 500 will be the featured games and the music for the dance program will be presented by Groom's orchestra.

The November committee has been named as follows: Mrs. Jack Hruska, chairman, Mrs. Frank Kleinfelder, Mrs. Roy DeCamp, Mrs. Fred Havemann, Mrs. M. Slock, Mrs. Harry Tobler, Mrs. Arthur Vetter, Mrs. Edward Hoffman, Mrs. Joe Montgomery, Mrs. William Goetzman, Mrs. Charles Henderson, Miss Ida Lechner, Mrs. Henry Kemp, Mrs. Helen Lechner, Mrs. Frank Perry, Mrs. Leo Angerer and Mrs. Charles Harper.

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Will Reach Half  
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A change in the type of depositors is noted by Mr. Rollins within the past two months. Previous to that time most of the money was deposited by foreigners who did not understand the national banking system, he says, but since Sept. 1, more Americans are making postal savings deposits. At one time more than 50 per cent of the total deposits were the savings of uneducated foreigners, but today the percentage of Americans depositing has increased to about 60, he declared.

**Old Money Deposited**

Previous to 1929, when postal savings deposits first began the abnormal increase, depositors frequently opened accounts with old, wrinkled money, which bore evidence of having been hidden in some tin can, or tree stump for years. Old coins, gold and silver, and solid bills of all denominations were included in the deposits. Thus the system brought into circulation millions of dollars of hoarded, idle capital.

During the past two months, however, depositors come not only with old money, which has been hoarded for some time, but with weekly pay checks from established business organizations and with accounts transferred from recognized banks to the postal system.

**Depositors Increase 300,000**

Mr. Rollins announced that on June 30, 1930 deposits totaled but \$179,908,223 and the number of depositors was about 400,000. The average savings of each depositor is estimated at about \$715 whereas in June, 1930, the average deposit was about \$450. The number of depositors today is about 700,000.

The department has received charges that the postal savings system is competing with banks. Mr. Rollins announced. He denied that this was the case, stating that the department has not advertised the system to compete with banks but to supplement them.

**Regulation Limits Total**

After the deposits are received they are re-deposited into banks which offer sufficient security, according to the director. Through this system the department may be helping banks by getting for them deposits which they would be unable to get, he said.

"It is probable that postal savings deposits would total more than they now do but for the regulation which limits the amount any person may deposit," said Mr. Rollins. A bill was introduced in congress last year which would increase the \$5,000 limit to \$10,000, but it never passed, he said.

Mr. Rollins announced that had this bill been passed, it is likely that postal savings would total one billion dollars than \$500,000,000.

## KIDNAPER CLAIMS PRISON LONELY

ROCKFORD, Ill. — (INS) — "It's lonesome here," was the complaint today of Russell McWilliams, 17, sentenced to serve life in the electric chair Dec. 14 for the holdup murder of a street car conductor in Rockford, Ill.

McWilliams, sitting on the edge of his bunk in his isolated cell, made his complaint to deputy warden E. M. Stubbfield. Soon after, the prisoner was moved to a cell facing the keeper's desk, where there is constant activity.

Prison officials agreed that the rule of solitary confinement, adhered to in the cases of other convicted killers, could be disregarded in McWilliams' case because of his youth.

## Divorce Decrees in October Led Number Of Wedding Permits

Divorce actions led the number of marriage licenses issued by E. C. Erwin, clerk of the district court, during the month of October. There were eight divorces granted, while six licenses were issued during that period. Eight applications for marriage permits were received.

During the month of September, there were 14 divorce decrees issued and 12 licenses were issued.

## Four Face Justice As Result of Fight

The hearings of John and Russell McIntyre, on charges of intoxication, disturbing the peace and resisting an officer and of Art and E. C. Smith, on charges of interfering with an officer, were being held late this afternoon, before H. D. Horst, police judge.

The four men were arrested early Saturday morning following an alleged "free-for-all" at the Moonlight Inn.

## 75,000 Iowans Ask For Drivers' Permit

DES MOINES, Ia. — (INS) — Seventy-five thousand state auto drivers license applications have been received and licenses will be mailed starting Tuesday, it was announced today.

Applications have been received from all but one county, Ringgold, it was said. The license department expects to have distributed 750,000 by January, 1932.

## Interior of New Bostens' Uptown Here



Above is pictured an interior view of the new Bostens Uptown theater which will be opened to the public Wednesday evening. The insert shows Lady Bostens, head of the Bostens Amusement company which will operate the playhouse. High class moving pictures and occasional stage presentations will be offered at the theater.

## THEATER TO BE OPENED NOV. 4

Beauty and Utility  
Combined in New  
Uptown Theater

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ten had his first conference with Elmer F. Behrens, Chicago theater architect, relative to converting the old armory building into a modern theater, store and apartment building.

During the next three years preliminary preparations of drawings, specifications and construction were submitted to Mr. Bostens for financing and improvements of the building.

On August 1 of this year a general contract was awarded to the Building Projects, Inc., of Milwaukee, Wis., by Mr. Bostens, in the presence of officials of the Titus Loan and Investment company and Elmer F. Behrens. The building was financed by the Titus Loan and Investment company.

**Interior Unusual**

A brilliantly illuminated attraction sign and marquee, embellishing the exterior of the building, and also serving as a protection for the patron from the elements, has been erected on the exterior of the building.

The vestibule of the theater is richly decorated and is depressed mats are flush with the tile floors. The lobby is similarly treated and from there two carpeted grand stairways lead to the mezzanine balcony.

**Like Spanish Court**

The interior of the theater proper is reminiscent of a Spanish court with its decorative garden walls, balconies and a cupped with an evening sky, softly twinkling stars and lastly moving clouds.

Added to the enjoyment of the patron are the spring edged, spring seat chairs with an inserted velvet back panel. The heating and ventilation system, furnishes a minimum of 20 cubic feet of air per person in the winter and 40 cubic feet of air during the summer each minute.

The projection room has modern equipment with the best and latest sound devices obtainable. Both noises are kept from the auditorium by means of glass enclosures.

**Has Children's Playroom**

In the basement, off the foyer, is a children's playroom where small toys may be left during the theater performance to amuse themselves and various toys that children like.

The interior decorations were arranged by the Walter Instrup company of Chicago which has carried out the decorative scheme in many large and fine theaters, churches, banks, hotels and apartment buildings.

The attraction at the new theater on the opening day will be "New Adventures of the Get-Rich-Quick Wallyford," in which William Haines is the male lead. He is ably supported by Jimmy "Schnozle" Durand, Earnest Torrence, Kuy Kibbe, Hale Hamilton, Robert McManis, Charles Blackie and Walter Walker.

In addition, moving picture shows stage presentations will be offered from time to time.

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Calvin Jones was fined \$500 and costs by Judge E. L. Ely in district court this afternoon when he entered a plea of guilty to an information filed by County Attorney Harold E. Wilson and charging him with maintaining a liquor nuisance. He paid the fine.

The information to which he pleaded guilty resulted from his arrest on August 19. Another information charging that he maintained a liquor nuisance on June 10, was dismissed by the court.

**EDUCATOR'S RIGHTS HELD**

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New patients admitted to the Baker hospital include Mrs. Susan Miller of Indiana, Edward Himmelman of Minnesota, Mrs. Minnie M. Reynolds and George L. Cone of Iowa.

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Noted Man Will Talk  
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Mr. Lofgren was with Admiral Byrd from the inception of the expedition to the beginning of the lecture tours which followed their return to the United States. The subject of his talk will be "With Byrd at Little America."

Following are some of the questions which he will answer in his talk:

How was the Great Ice Barrier crossed? How was Little America built? What did they have to eat? How was their food kept eatable? How was contact with the outside world maintained? How were the airplanes protected from the weather? What did these men do during the long winter night? What did they do about baths? Did they get on each other's nerves? What was the secret of the commander's popularity with his men? What animal life did they encounter on the ice barrier?

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Authorities seized more than 200 suspects. All but 42 were released. Immigration authorities announced they had evidence that 3,000 Chinese who have gained entrance to the country illegally are located here.

## Three Go to Jail, Two Pay Fines on Intoxication Count

Of five men arrested Saturday and Sunday nights on charges of having been intoxicated, three were given jail sentences and two fined \$5 and costs when arraigned before Justice H. D. Horst this morning.

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Will Open Office on  
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It is present more than half the business interests have indicated their intention of joining in staging the biggest bargain event ever held in the city. The committee is still at work and hopes to enroll more than 90 per cent of the retail merchants in the plan before the opening day of the event.

In addition to bargaining in merchandise which will be offered at the various stores, entertainment, which includes concerts by both the Ziegler band and the Muscatine concert band, a poultry show, and a doll and dog show for the children has been arranged. Prizes will be awarded for the best entries in the poultry show, and the exhibition to be put on by the children.

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Applications for driver permits are being received by both Sheriff Nesper and Ralph M. Dull, who has been employed to assist in the work at the sheriff's office. Drivers are being reminded that they must bring their registration certificates when making application for the licenses.

**Two Pay Fines for Fighting on Street**

A three way flat encounter ended in Saturday night by Harold Lang, J. B. King and Elmer Zimmerman, ended with two of the participants appearing in police court this morning and a third awaiting trial.

King and Zimmerman, the two who faced Police Judge H. D. Horst this morning, were each fined \$5 and costs.

The alleged fight took place at Iowa avenue and Front street.

## Iowa Industries Employment Drops

DES MOINES, Ia. — (INS) — Iowa industries reported a loss of 1.2 per cent in the employment situation in October as compared with September, A. L. Urlick, state labor commissioner, announced today.

Ottumwa, Sioux City, and Clinton were the larger cities reporting an increase in men and women employment while Burlington, Cedar Rapids, Davenport, Des Moines, Dubuque and Waterloo showed losses according to the labor bureau survey for October.

## Additional Society St. Mary's Ladies' Aid Names Committee

The November committee of the St. Mary's Ladies' Aid society will sponsor a card party and dance Tuesday evening at the St. Mary's school hall. Each of 500 will be the featured games and the music for the dance program will be presented by Groom's orchestra.

The November committee has been named as follows: Mrs. Jack Hruska, chairman, Mrs. Frank Kleinfelder, Mrs. Roy DeCamp, Mrs. Fred Havemann, Mrs. M. Sisek, Mrs. H. Tobin, Mrs. Arthur Vetter, Mrs. Edward Hoffman, Mrs. Joe Montgomery, Mrs. William Goetman, Mrs. Charles Henderson, Miss Ida Lechner, Mrs. Henry Kapp, Mrs. Helen Swinko, Mrs. Frank Perry, Mrs. Leo Angerer and Mrs. Charles Harpo.

## Deeds Recorded

Lee E. Greenway to Helene H. Bartlett, lot 5 and part of lot 4, Abraham Smalley's addition to Muscatine.

Joshua W. Rummels and others to L. W. Millett, tract of land in section 23-71-4W.

Titus Loan and Investment Co. to C. C. Hakes, part of lot 1, block 101, Muscatine.

Arthur Hoffman and others to L. C. Kautz, parts of lots 8 and 9, block 33, Muscatine.

First Christian church of Muscatine to Thomas F. Maher, lot 16, Avenue addition to Muscatine.

## After attending shows at Bostens' Uptown stop out to the MOON-LITE INN

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# SOCIETY CHATTER, FEATURES and HELPFUL HINTS for the WOMEN

## Miss Helen King Weds L. Barnard Saturday Night

An interesting wedding ceremony was held Saturday evening by the pastor of the First Methodist church at Rock Island, Ill., united in marriage Miss Helen King, daughter of Mrs. J. A. Drumm, 1017 Orchard avenue and L. Barnard, son of Eugene Barnard, 1002 Spring street. Miss Helen King, daughter of Mrs. J. A. Drumm, 1017 Orchard avenue and L. Barnard, son of Eugene Barnard, 1002 Spring street. The bride, who was attired in a pearly gown, trimmed with pink and white, carried a large bouquet of roses and a train of white tulle. The bridesmaids wore black chiffon and carried a bouquet of roses. Mrs. Barnard was graduated from the Muscatine high school with the class of 1923 and Mr. Barnard with the class of 1925.

A wedding dinner was served Sunday by the bride's mother with guests including only the immediate family.

## Young People Attend Luncheon Sunday

Forty young people attended the luncheon Sunday evening held by the Conwell H. and Senior B. Y. P. U., at the First Baptist church. A group of about sixty members gathered for the devotion exercises led by John Mueller after which those present separated into their respective groups for the program. The Conwell H. B. Y. presented a discussion on the subject of "Evolution" while the Senior B. Y. P. U. spoke on the topic "Is Dancing Harmful?"

## Muscatine Garden Club To Elect Officers

The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Muscatine Garden club will be held with the usual gathering of the group, Nov. 9. At this time, it is also requested that the members keep in mind that it is the date for regular due paying.

A program will be presented which consists of discussions on "Old Fashioned Gardens" and "Colonial Gardens."

## Mrs. Wagner Leads at Christian Endeavor

Mrs. Mildred Wagner led the Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at the United Brethren church.

A special duet, entitled "Does Jesus Care?" was played by Mary and Clara Pacey. Interesting and instructive talks were presented by Miss Lorraine Warner, Robert Hawley, Perry W. Chester and the Rev. J. H. Hawley. The topic for discussion was "Faith in God."

## Daughters of Union Veterans to Meet

A regular business session will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the house of the Daughters of Union Veterans.

The feature of the meeting is to be nomination of officers for the coming year and the members plan to make final arrangements for the party to be held on Thursday in celebration of "Comrades Day."

## Muscatine Methodist Aid to Convene

A work meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon at Hoopes hall by the Ladies' Aid society of the Muscatine Methodist church. The members will plan for a rummage sale to be held in the near future.

At the social hour, Mrs. John Koepfing, 1416 East Fifth street, will preside as hostess.

## All Day Gathering to Be Held by Aid

An all-day meeting is planned for Wednesday by the Ladies' Aid of the Park avenue Methodist church. It is to be a work gathering and a pot-luck will be served at noon.

During the afternoon, a rummage sale will be staged by the society.

## Members of Society to Have Gathering

Mrs. S. Vanzandt will be hostess at an all-day meeting on Thursday, of the Ladies' Aid of the Park avenue Methodist church. It is to be a work gathering and a pot-luck will be served at noon.

A ten cent exchange will be a feature of the occasion and the society will enjoy a pot-luck at noon.

Mrs. Jacob Drumm, 1017 Orchard avenue, will entertain the Willing Workers class of the North Prairie Methodist church on Thursday afternoon for button sewing. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting by the hostess.

At 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning the Ladies' Aid of the Cedar Street Methodist church will stage their fall rummage sale. In the afternoon a business and work meeting will be held.

A special meeting is called to night at 7:30 o'clock by the M. O. F. hall.

## Wants Art Back



Mrs. Chalayne Gelatly, former actress, who is seeking to have her late husband's \$4,000,000 art set aside.

## Reserves Attend Program in Honor Of Anniversary

Ninety-seven members of the Girl Reserve were in attendance at the special program given for them Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian church.

The message presented for the occasion by the Rev. J. B. Rendall was entitled, "A Message in Regard to Youth." The topic embraced physical, intellectual, spiritual and moral strength.

Mrs. Grace Harper Evans sang a solo and the choir gave an anthem. As the Girl Reserves departed they sang their song, "Follow the Gleam."

For the health program on Saturday, the Girl Reserves, their mothers, and all members classes in the physical education department are invited to attend the demonstration which is to begin at 9:15 o'clock.

The children will entertain in the gymnasium during the first part of the program, with activities that they have learned in their classes. Their aim will be to show what they must accomplish to keep them in good health. This program includes: Children's Danish gymnastics; tap dance number, by Josephine Bloomer; hand practice, A. Take-off; tap number, by Helen Reutling; health song, and posters, by the children; tap number, by Betty Rausch and Irma Jane Sherman; tap number by six children and tumbling.

Later a First Aid lesson and a short talk will be presented by a representative of the National Red Cross organization who is sent to the city from St. Louis, Mo.

As a concluding feature a swimming demonstration including life saving will be given from 10 to 10:30 o'clock and from then to 11 a. m. the same procedure will be repeated as the pool can only accommodate a limited number of people at once.

## Mrs. Tadewald Will Be Hostess to Club

Mrs. Helen Tadewald will entertain the Past President's club of the Women's Relief Corps Wednesday afternoon at her home, 507 Walnut street.

The afternoon is to be spent socially, at the conclusion of which refreshments will be served by the hostess.

## P. E. O. Visits Home On Saturday

Sixteen members of the P. E. O. journeyed to Mt. Pleasant, Ia., on Saturday to visit the P. E. O. home situated there. After lunch the group devoted the afternoon to the inspection of the memorial library located in the city. The return trip was made Saturday evening.

## The Delta Alpha class of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening in the class room for a regular session.

ICE SKATING FOR GRACE LONDON—(INS)—Ice skating already shows signs of multiplying its former popularity this fall and winter. Londoners indicate that ice skating will reach the status of a craze this year. Women in particular are turning to ice skating to preserve their figures and to gain grace of carriage. One London skating rink is holding a before-breakfast sessions for businesswomen and scores from "the City attend daily.

To fill a steaming tea kettle place a small funnel in the spout to prevent burning your hands in taking off the cover.

## Special Program To Be Presented By Rural School

A program to be presented Thursday evening, is planned by the Buffalo Center school, at Taylor Ridge, Ill. The instructor, Miss Bernice Powell will direct the pupils in this presentation.

The following includes an outline of the entertainment: Welcome, Elmer Mueller; novelty song, "One, Two, Three, Who Are We?", Genevieve and Eileen Schmidt; dialogue, "Cookies and Callers," Samuel Carlson, Eileen and Genevieve Schmidt; "A Reason," Kathleen Schmidt; stunt song, "Shadows," Evelyn Carlson, Hilda Mennicke, Eileen and Genevieve Schmidt; monologue, "In the Dark," Beryl Jean; dialogue, "Making a Cake," Lyle Don Whitlock, Dale Schmidt and Beryl Jean; selection, "Home Made Kitchen Band," Just "cause I'm a Girl," Marcia Mueller; dialogue, "Deacon Allen's Joke," Harold Mueller and Eileen Schmidt; dramatized song, "The Spelling Bee," Eileen Schmidt, teacher, Evelyn Carlson, Harold and Daniel Mueller, Hilda Mennicke, Beryl Jean and Genevieve Schmidt; all acting as pupils; "A Small Girl," Mildred Schmidt; pantomime, "The Doll Shop," mother, Hilda Mennicke, child, Evelyn Carlson, storekeeper, Daniel Mueller, fairy, Eileen Schmidt, dolls, Beryl Jean, Lucille, Laverne, Elmer and Marcia Mueller, Genevieve and Mildred Schmidt, Darlene Jean, Lyle Don Whitlock and Kathleen Schmidt; stunt song, "Bole Man Bo," Darlene Jean; dialogue, "A Matrimonial Advertisement," Hilda Mennicke; Evelyn Carlson, Dale Schmidt and Daniel Mueller; "A Small Boy's Thankfulness," Lyle Don Whitlock; song, "I'm Lots of Help to Mother," Darlene Jean; dialogue, "The Wrong Suitcase," Hilda Mennicke, Harold and Daniel Mueller, Evelyn Carlson and Genevieve Schmidt; "Being Good," Genevieve Mueller; action song, "Quit Tagging Me Around," Evelyn Carlson and Darlene Jean; "Good-night," Beryl Jean, Marcia Mueller, Kathleen and Mildred Schmidt and Darlene Jean.

## Season's Hues For Chic Wear Seen In Nature

By ALICE LANGELEIR

PARIS—(INS)—Fashion's chic card calls for shades seen in Nature at this season of the year. There are lovely metallic tones of blue, Persian reds, wine shades, bottle-green and all tones of brown and beige.

Dark reds have a brown or violet cast and dark browns have a rosy or mauvyish tinge. Violets are strongly influenced by brown or red so that they approach eggplant purple, fuchsia or deep prune and form a numerous and important color group for autumn.

Then there are very frank deep reds and pansy purples. Patou is preferring a carotid brown, coppery Persian reds and Persian green approaching a bright olive.

Molynaux favors green this season, after combining two shades in one frock. Another designer sponsors luminous reds.

"Tons de mer," soft tea tones and violet are favorites with one of the dressmakers and black and white makes Chanel's chief combination this year, with reds also prominent.

Chalky white is still popular for evening wear but will probably be challenged by dark rich tones of red, green and blue. Poiret is using a lovely sapphire blue velvet for the evening coat which opens a baby blue satin gown and Lelong has chosen ruby red velvet.

## My Neighbor Says

Glycerine poured around the neck of a glass bottle and allowed to remain for several hours will remove the stopper that refuses to come out.

Always rinse chamomile and dandelion gloves in soapy water and dry them where the heat is not intense if you wish to keep your gloves in good condition.

One tablespoon of orange juice and one teaspoon of chopped marshmallows added to boiled salad dressing, makes a delicious dressing for fruit salads.

Hot peach juice, to which a few drops of lemon juice have been added, makes a quickly prepared sauce to serve with cottage pudding. (Copyright 1931, By Associated Newspapers)

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## DARE INTERPRETS the MODE

A frock of brown jersey incrustated with white and a jacket of brown and white jersey mixture forms a very trim and striking ensemble. (Courtesy of Lucile Paray, Paris.)

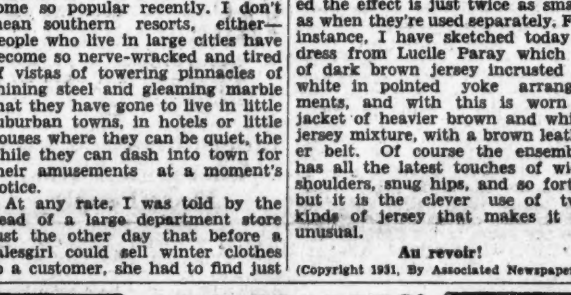


where the lady intended to make her home. For city wear, for instance, the salesgirl would sell Lucile Moderne wool crepes in plain, rich colors, while for suburban wear she'd sell printed wool crepes, or novelty wools woven in a small design. Town evening wear is much more formal than that for out of the city; but the latter is very much more elaborate than town evening wear. Compensations, you see!

Naturally, the more obvious phases of this winter's wardrobe are what you'd expect—sports coats of light or bright fabrics with racoon or beaver or badger for suburban days, and dark coats with skunk, silver fox or mink for town; warm wool knockabout suits for quick walks down country lanes, and trim, smartly furred ones for sophisticated strolling down the Avenue. But the clothes for both lives are so lovely that it's a shame we all aren't born TWINS!

JERSEY is changed very much from its old, sober, uninteresting self. It is woven in heavier, lacier, two or several toned effects, is used even more often than plain jersey, and when they are combined the effect is just twice as smart as when they're used separately. For instance, I have sketched today a dress from Lucile Paray which is of dark brown jersey incrustated with white in pointed yoke arrangements, and with this is worn a jacket of heavier brown and white jersey mixture, with a brown leather belt. Of course the ensemble has all the latest touches of wide shoulders, snug hips, and so forth, but it is the clever use of these kinds of jersey that makes it so unusual.

An reveal! (Copyright 1931, By Associated Newspapers)



## OUR READERS' COOKING

Help the other readers of the Midwest Free Press to cook. Send in the recipes you like best, sign your name, and address, they will be gladly published.

MENU FOR TUESDAY, NOV. 3 1931

BREAKFAST: Apples, Dry Cereal with Cream, Bacon Omelet, Toast, Doughnuts, Coffee.

LUNCHEON: Vegetable Soup, Baked Stuffed Potatoes, Baking Powder Biscuits, Lemon Sponge Pie, Tea.

DINNER: Beef Broth, Turkish Pilaff, Cauliflower au Gratin, Baked Stuffed Potatoes, Lettuce, Russian Dressing, Sunshine Pudding, Coffee.

Doughnuts One egg beaten very light. Add 1-2 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon butter, and continue beating. Dissolve 1 teaspoon cream of tartar, 1-2 teaspoon soda in 1-2 cup sweet milk and bread flour to make a soft dough. This recipe makes about 18 doughnuts, and they are delicious. Don't mix too stiff.

## Sunshine Pudding

Mix 2 tablespoons cornstarch in enough cold water to dissolve, and stir it into 2 pint boiling water. Add a pinch of salt, 1-3 cup sugar, the stiffly beaten whites of 2 eggs and a teaspoon vanilla. Heat just long enough to cook the eggs. Have 3 or 4 ripe bananas sliced thin. Place a layer of these in a dish then a layer of the pudding, continuing until all is used. Have pudding for the last layer. Make a soft custard of the yolks of the eggs, 1-4 cup sugar and 1 pint milk. Pour over pudding when served.

Lemon Sponge Pie Cream 1-2-3 tablespoons of butter with 1 cup of sugar, add 2 teaspoons of flour and mix thoroughly; then add the beaten yolks of 2 eggs, the juice and grated rind of 1 lemon. 1 cup of scalded and cool-

ed milk and finally fold in the stiffly beaten whites. Turn into a pie plate lined with paste and bake in a moderate oven.

## RAISIN OR STRAWBERRY FILLED COOKIES

3 pints of flour sifted white 6 tps. of cream tartar. 2 tps. of soda, level. 1 rounding pint cup sugar. 3-4 pint of lard. 1 pint of sweet milk. tablespoon vanilla. Roll out dough thin, cut with cookie cutter, put in tsp. of thickened raisins in center of one r. tsp. of strawberry preserves in center and press a cookie down over top of fruit and cookie and bake in moderate oven 15 minutes.

## PEAR HONEY

4 bushel pears peeled and cored. Grind through food crusher; do not grind too fine. 2 quarts of pineapple chopped or cut fine. Use equal part of fruit and sugar; heat fruit to boiling point, add sugar and stir well. Cook like you would preserves or until it cooks clear. Cook in two or three kettles or pans as it is quicker that way and it is the color of honey. Put in jars and seal or glasses with paraffin, it is fine served with ice cream.

## 4 BLOCKS APART

By Arthur Somers Roche

CHAPTER XXVI  
"Stand My Gosh!"  
"Is that gallant?" she made a pitiful attempt at lightness. "I should think you'd be flattered. I'd want to talk to you at this time of the morning."  
"I am, my dear," he sought to placate her, "but, naturally, your call was unexpected."  
"I must talk to you," she interrupted.  
He was thoroughly awake now. "I think it's the sweetest thing in the world, your wanting to," he assured her.  
"But what I have to tell you isn't sweet," she said. "You'll hate me, despise me—"  
"Julie!" He was shocked. "Don't be absurd!"  
"I'm not absurd," she blurted out. "I kissed Jimmy Farrell tonight."  
"Oh!" His monocle was blank, uncomprehending. She waited for him to say more, but he was silent.  
"Don't you understand me?" she asked. "I kissed him. He kissed me. Ralph, say something—please."  
"Am I the sort of a girl to kiss for fun?" she asked.  
"Well, Julie," and his laugh was shaky, "you don't want me to believe that you kissed Farrell because you loved him, do you?"  
"I don't know," answered Julie. "Don't know," Julie, you must think it a pretty serious matter to call me up at this time of—"  
"I can't sleep," she said.  
"That's it. It's serious. At least, you think so. But how serious do you really think it is? Do you want me to forgive you for kissing Farrell or for loving him? Julie," and she could sense the agony in his heart, "do you love Farrell?"  
She laughed mirthlessly.  
"How can I, when I love you?"  
"But do you love me?" he asked. "I think so," she replied.  
"Isn't it rather late to be telling me that you think so?" he asked.  
"That's what makes me so miserable," she said. "If I didn't love you—if I'd fallen in love with Jimmy—then I would be perfectly frank. I'd not want to hurt you, but I'd know it was the only honest thing to do. But the way it is—Oh, I know how dreadful I sound. Ralph, I don't deserve your gentleness," she reproached herself.  
"Ralph, if you could, if you'd be angry—"  
"You want those things?"  
"Of course I don't, but—you make me feel so unworthy, so cheap—"  
"Julie, my dear, tell me, do you love Farrell?"  
"Ralph, I don't know," she said. "I've been thinking it over for hours. I felt that it was only fair for you to know, I mean, I couldn't hide it from you, and—Oh, I wanted to help myself, stop my misery if I could, by confessing to you. Oh, Ralph, what shall I do?"  
"I think the first thing for you to do is to remember that I love you," he said gently, "and to realize that it only makes me unhappy to know that you are unhappy. You're a wonderful girl, Julie, and only the best can come to you. You're straight and decent—"  
"Is it decent to kiss another man when I'm engaged to you?" she asked.  
"Julie, it's silly to blame ourselves for some things," he said. "We only drive ourselves frantic by thinking about them. Julie, please promise me this: that you'll turn out your light and try to sleep. I'll come around in the morning and we can thrash the matter out."

"Ralph, I wish I were certain that I loved you."  
"I wish you were, my dear," he said. "Good night, Julie?"  
"Good night," she sighed.  
She hung up and tried to compose herself for sleep. Ralph had been so fine... But hadn't he been rather matter-of-fact about it? If he really loved her, wouldn't he have sounded more enraged, or more brokenhearted...  
She felt a sudden agony of fear. Although she didn't know whether she loved him or not, she hated to think that perhaps he had ceased to love her.  
But had she been able to witness the actions of Ralph Curzon after she hung up the telephone, she would not have doubted his love. For when the distant click announced that Julie had restored the telephone receiver to its place, Curzon underwent a complete transformation.  
His features suddenly seemed gaunt. The slightly pinched nostrils widened faintly, as though he scented something inimical; the thin lips hardened in a straight line, and the brown eyes blazed. His athletic body tensed, was catlike as he swung himself from the bed where he had been lying as he spoke to Julie.  
"The filthy little Broadway rat," he muttered to himself. "Uses the glamor of his sudden success—steals my girl, will he." The lips curled now in a sneer that none of Curzon's intimates would have recognized, for none of them had ever seen him when his most primitive passions were aroused.  
He ran through the pages of the telephone book until he found Farrell's address. He made a mental note of it, then almost tore off his pajamas. Swiftly and purposefully he dressed himself.  
All at once he seemed to have become leaner of body as well as more gaunt of feature. About him in the past there had sometimes been a look of stubbornness, but this was replaced now by a look of deadly determination.  
(To Be Continued Tomorrow)

## France Still in Minority Group On Woman's Vote

PARIS—(INS)—France is still in the class of the smaller powers when it comes to the question of the vote for women.

Five of the twenty-eight European States have not yet granted any rights to their women: These include Portugal, Swiss, Bulgaria, Jugoslavia and France.

The French Senate rejected the law for women's rights which was adopted by the Chamber of Deputies in 1922, and in spite of several decisions made by the Chamber since this date, the stolid old Senators have refused to fix a date for further discussion of this question.

Seventeen States have accorded full political right to women. These are: Norway and Sweden, Denmark, Holland, England and Ireland, Finland, Russia, Lithuania, Estonia, Lettonia, Germany, Austria, Hungary, Poland, Czechoslovakia and Luxembourg.

One State, Belgium, has granted municipal electoral rights to their women.

## MELPINE

MELPINE, Ia.—(Special)—Greeley Bentley of Cleveland, O., arrived Wednesday morning at the home of his son, Oliver Bentley, where he will spend several days.

Miss Doris Kelley spent the week-end visiting friends at Davenport.

Mrs. Arnold Petersen entertained members of the Philandria club at her home Tuesday afternoon, with 12 members and three visitors present. The luncheon and contest were on the Halloween order and roll call was answered with Halloween suggestions.

Several from this vicinity attended the play at New Era on Wednesday evening, which was by the Philandria club.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sywassink and son Bobbie of Muscatine were calling in this vicinity on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Kautz of Blue Grass, spent Tuesday at the Arnold Petersen home.

Mrs. Adam Paul entertained a group of ladies at her home Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent at cards.

## Window Shopping

### Bridesmaid Frocks

The frocks worn by bridesmaids at a recent wedding may give a suggestion to the girl planning an autumn wedding. Rather quaint in style with full gathered skirts and little puff sleeves they were of apricot chiffon velvet with the square neckline outlined with bands of sable and with a brown velvet bow on the skirt and at the side of the waistline. Tushans brown and apricot velvet completed the costume.

### Fringed Lamp Shades

These new shades are all part of the scheme of decoration influenced by the period of the second Empire. They are made of successive rows of white silk fringed headed with a narrow gold ribbon and usually are shown on lamps of white porcelain.

### For Practical Purposes

There is a grand new washer on the market—one that with a minimum of effort launders ones finest "undies." It is a rubber arrangement on a handle and works by the method of suction. You plunge it up and down in the bowl and like magic your most delicate things are cleansed. It is splendid for the girl in a small apartment room.

### Black and Red

This black and red combination is featured in an evening gown which first saw the light of day in Paris. It is of black velvet, long and

## slinky with insets of coral red velvet set in under the armholes.

### Select Your Own Furs

A new wrinkle in selling coats is for the purchaser to select a smart cloth coat minus collar and cuffs of fur and then to choose the particular furs she prefers. In that way a certain amount of individuality is achieved even in moderate priced coats.

### Lustre Service Plates

For a formal dinner nothing could be lovelier than service plates in white and silver lustre.

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## PALACE

Tonite and Tues.

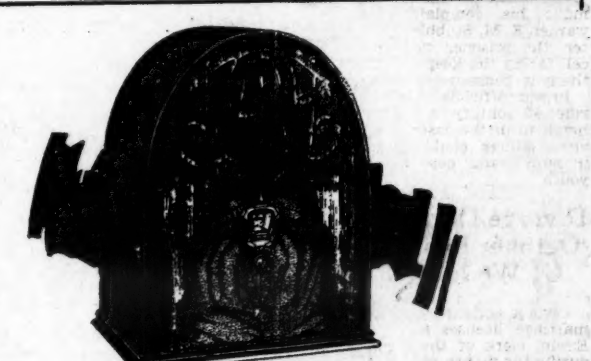
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It is strange that Japan, which is now defying the peace

The answer is that practically every government in the world is a capitalist government in fact, and an imperialist government either in fact or in intention. Capitalism and imperialism are systems of exploiting productive labor and weaker nations which are made possible only by ARMED GOVERNMENT, military machines and navies. In and of itself CAPITALISM IS A WARLIKE PROCESS and depends on armies and navies to maintain itself. IN OTHER WORDS, OUR PRESENT SYSTEM IS FOUNDED ON MILITARY FORCE AND WAR: Peace machinery may be useful to avert war, and as such we ought to all support it, but nothing will ABOLISH WAR and place the world on a foundation of permanent peace, except the abolition of capitalism, and the establishment of a cooperative system of civilization in its place.

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### National Loop Plans Reduction of Home Run Hitting

A year ago the baseball fans of the country expressed a desire to tone down on home run hitting and return to the good days of tight pitching duels, bunting, baserunning and the other fine arts that went with 1 to 0 games.

The National league responded with enthusiasm. The ball used in the older circuit during 1931 was a better pitching ball than the one used in the American.

The National went further; the leading managers changed the style of play. We had this demonstrated in the recent world's series. The Cards playing the type of baseball that predominated in the pre-Ruth days were too risky for the A's.

More Strength Added  
The 1931 race is finished and ready for the record books. As 'time marches on' the National continues to show the greatest progress in returning to a tight baseball.

The National league clubs have 'skimmed the cream' of the minor league pitching crop. The Cards, Giants, Dodgers and Braves have added more pitching strength among them than have all eight clubs of the American league.

The Cards have added Dizzy Dean, Tex Carleton and Ray Starr—minor league sensations—in an already brilliant array of pitching talent.

The Giants drafted Herman Bell, bought Sam Gibson, and brought in Jim Mooney and Leroy Farnese from the farm.

Braves Get Belts  
The Braves picked quite a hurler in Walter Betts, a star of the St. Paul staff, but who has a background of several years National league experience with the Phils.

The Braves also drafted Leo Mangan, a veteran of both big leagues, and Frank Coleman, who was for some time tightly strung to the Detroit Tigers.

The Dodgers brought in a farm hand from Hartford, Van Lingle Mungo, who bids fair to be one of the stars of the game. He arrived in time to win three out of four big league games after having already won 14 and lost 4 in the Eastern.

The whole American league can't match that array of new pitching talent. And the Pirates, Cubs, Reds and Phils have added a few themselves.

McGraw Is Jubilant  
John McGraw is jubilant over his pitching prospects and is justified in his enthusiasm. He scouted Sam Gibson carefully and paid over quite a wad of money to San Francisco.

Herman Bell, long with the Card chain—both as a Cardinal and as a farm hand—is not a sensational catch in the draft but McGraw believes he will help a lot.

Jim Mooney is the apple of the McGraw eye. Jim is McGraw's own pick, a star of 1930 down in Charlotte. Last summer Jim was seasoned in Bridgeport and then brought into New York to pitch.

Mooney, Gibson, Bell and Farnese added to fellows like Hubbell, Walke Fitzsimmons and Chaplin are sufficient to arouse any manager's spirits.

Dizzy Dean Back  
But the Cards are ready to answer McGraw's challenge to a mound duel. They have added three stars from Rochester and Houston. Dizzy Dean was ready last spring—that is his arm was ready but his attitude was not quite satisfactory to a pennant winning manager.

Tex Carleton is ready. He has had several years of polishing at Rochester and Houston. And Ray Starr, the iron man of the International league, with three double header victories, is ready.

This trio won 66 minor league games while losing but 26. Dean had 26 and 10, Carleton 20 and 9, and Starr 20 and 7.

And it might be remembered that the Cards already have Grimes, Hallahan, Derringer, Haines, Stout, Lindsey, Johnson and Rhem. A match for the Giant moundsmen!

All Need Talent  
The Cubs need some new mound talent and will buy or trade for it. The Braves have a fair array, with recent additions, but may get more. The Reds and Phillies could use more pitching finesse but they haven't a lot of money to spend and passed up their chances in the draft.

If the Pirate moundsmen can get going they may rank with the best. Every man on the staff has at some time or other demonstrated he can pitch—men like Brann, Meine, French, Spencer, Kremer, Swetonic, Wood and Osborn. There will be some trading there, however.

The Phils had the good fortune to see Jumbo Elliott come through with a big season and Phil Collins, of course, is no unknown. But the Phils need more strength on the mound.

The National league skies are rosy these heavy fall days.

The ice hockey rink now being completed at West Point is the largest in America. The job was rushed through to provide jobs for the idle.

West Point finances its own athletic program. No money from any public fund is used.

## New Owner of Chicago White Sox



J. Louis Comiskey, son of the late Charles A. Comiskey, who is the new White Sox boss. He'll keep the team and build it up, he says. The team and his father's personal estate passed Friday to Lou as the only heir. There was no will.

## BIG NEGRO TO MEET DEMPSEY

### Seal Harris Selected to Fight Mauler at Des Moines

DES MOINES, (Special)—The name Seal Harris does not carry much weight within the boundaries of Iowa, but close observers of the boxing game will inform you otherwise when questioned on the ability of the Philadelphia negro. Harris is the towering heavyweight who will oppose Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion of the world, in a four-round bout here Monday night Nov. 9.

In 1927, Jack Johnson, another ex-champion of the heavyweight crown, decided that his fighting days were over and decided to enter the managerial end of the business.

Johnson Poor Manager  
After scouting every large city, Johnson discovered Harris. Johnson, as it usually turns out to be, was a good boxer, but a poor manager. He mismatched the Philadelphia and his business connections were poor.

This team Harris-Johnson, lasted one year, then Barney Abel took over the Negro boxer and did wonders. The eastern experts have often said that if Harris was white he would be ranked among the first ten.

Training With Godfrey  
Because the good heavyweights refuse to enter the ring with him, Harris toured Europe the last year and won 17 consecutive bouts by knockouts. He is now training with George Godfrey in Philadelphia for the Dempsey tussle.

Harris fought Primo Carnera here 18 months ago and outboxed, outsmarted and outclassed the Italian. He is a good boxer and a dangerous one.

Without a doubt, Harris will be the toughest opponent Dempsey has opposed since his return to the ring.

## BEARS BEATEN BY GREEN BAY

### Michaleke Makes 80 Yard Run to Take 6-2 Decision

CHICAGO (INS)—An 80-yard run for a touchdown by Gus Michaleke today strengthened the Green Bay Packers' chances for winning the national professional football league title.

The Packers, playing an alert game all the way, trounced Red Grange's Chicago Bears, 6 to 2, at Wrigley Field here yesterday before a crowd of 30,000 persons.

Michaleke's chance came in the second quarter when he snared a bear pass deep in the Packers' territory. He was clear and away before the Bears realized what happened.

A safety by Red Dunn, Packer quarterback, gave the Bears two points in the second quarter.

Chocolate Defends His Title Tonight  
NEW YORK (INS)—Kid Chocolate, junior lightweight champion, defends his title against Lew Feldman, Brooklyn, in a ten-round bout at the St. Nicholas arena tonight.

Madison Square Garden in New York, and its subsidiary in Boston, lost \$350,000 in three months.

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## GARDEN BOXING CARD REVISED

### Tommy Loughran and Uzcudun to Clash in Main Bout

NEW YORK (INS)—Madison Square Garden's boxing card for Nov. 13 was revised today.

Tommy Loughran, Philadelphia, and Paulino Uzcudun, Spain, will clash in the main bout. The Primo Carnera-Joe Santa fight, originally scheduled, was called off because of an eye injury suffered by Santa in his bout with Max Baer last week.

Charley Getzlaff, Duluth, Minn., and Jacoma Bergomas, Italy, have been signed for the semifinal.

Two supporting bouts, Mateo Osa vs. Ted Sandwina, and Babe Hunt vs. Walker Cobb, are expected to be closed today.

All performers on the card are heavyweights, and each bout is scheduled to go ten rounds.

## FRIEDMAN BIG AID TO GIANTS

### Former All-American Leads His Team to 14-0 Victory

NEW YORK (INS)—Those who hold that Benny Friedman is the world's greatest football player pointed with pride today to the former All-American quarterback's achievements in his return to pro football yesterday.

Rejoining the New York Giants after an absence of nearly a year, the former Michigan star paved the way for both of New York's touchdowns with forward passes.

The Giants blanked the Portsmouth Spartans, 14 to 0. The Spartans had chalked up eight straight victories and had been tied with Green Bay for first place in the National football league.

Erie Nevers, former Stanford luminary, starred as the Chicago Cardinals beat Brooklyn, 14 to 7. Stapleton tied Providence, 7 to 7.

## Musky High B Team Will Battle West Liberty on Friday

With a week of rest behind them since their last game, Coach Howard McIlraith's high school B football team will get down to some intensive drilling this week in preparation for their last game of the season Friday afternoon against the West Liberty B team.

The game will be played at West Liberty.

The local B team has played two games this season, losing one and tying the other. The one game that was lost was to the St. Ambrose Midgets two weeks ago at Davenport. The margin of victory for the Midgets over the locals was only one touchdown and that came in the final minutes of play in the last quarter.

The tie game was played a week ago last Friday at Jefferson field against the Wapello first stringers. Neither team was able to score during the engagement but the locals showed lots of light and plenty of ability.

Coach McIlraith believes in making his cohorts work hard every minute they are in the game and if any one slows up a little he is immediately taken from the game. All of the players are working hard and all will be out for a victory Friday to make their season a success.

## TWO UNDEFEATED TEAMS TO CLASH FOR TITLE NOV. 7

### Wildcats and Gophers Set to Battle for Big Ten Crown

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BIG TEN STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pct
Northwestern	2	0	0	1.000
Minnesota	2	0	0	1.000
Ohio State	1	0	0	1.000
Purdue	2	1	0	.667
Michigan	2	1	0	.667
Wisconsin	1	1	0	.500
Indiana	1	1	0	.500
Iowa	0	1	0	.000
Illinois	0	3	0	.000
Chicago	0	3	0	.000

SATURDAY'S RESULTS  
Northwestern 32, Illinois 6.  
Purdue 14, Chicago 6.  
Minnesota 14, Wisconsin 9.  
Michigan 21, Princeton 9.  
Iowa 7, George Washington 9.  
Ohio State 13, Indiana 6.

GAMES THIS WEEK  
Minnesota at Northwestern.  
Iowa at Nebraska.  
Navy at Ohio State.  
Indiana at Michigan.  
Arkansas at Chicago.  
Cenentary at Purdue.

By WEST PETERSON  
INS Sports Writer  
CHICAGO (INS)—Put a red circle around Nov. 7.

On that date the two undefeated teams in the Big Ten merry-go-round will hold a tourney at Dyche stadium, Evanston, and one of them will probably emerge as the conference champion of 1931.

Minnesota and Northwestern are the outfits involved. The former last Saturday took the wind out of Wisconsin's sails, while the Wildcats clawed Illinois to a fere-ye-well.

Three minutes after the game opened at Minneapolis, Jack Manders, the Gophers' Jackrabbit fullback, snagged the ball and ran from the middle of the field to the goal posts, scoring the first touchdown against Wisconsin.

In the second quarter the Minnesota outfit executed its deadly lateral pass, Uhl to Robinson to Munn, and the tally was raised to 14. The Badgers bucked up in the second half, advancing far into the enemy territory, but were unable to penetrate the do-or-die defense presented by Coach Crisler's boys.

The Illinois sophomores were beaten 22 to 6 by Northwestern, at Evanston, last Saturday when they gained a normal victory because a complete whitewashing had been predicted for them.

Flashing their diversified attack, the Wildcats had little trouble in securing 25 points by the end of the first quarter. With this comfortable margin, many of the regulars retired from the contest and let the reserves carry on the good work. A series of passes gave the Illinois their touchdown in the second quarter.

Indiana at Michigan  
Michigan, returning from the east with a 21 to 0 coup over Princeton, will play Indiana at Ann Arbor this weekend. The Hoosiers' hopes for a share in the glory were shattered last Saturday when they were beaten by Ohio State at Bloomington, 13 to 6. Previously, Indiana had lost no conference games.

The only other loop conflict this coming Saturday will be between Wisconsin and Illinois on the latter's field.

Chicago put up a brave fight on Stagg field last Saturday and succeeded in holding Purdue to 14 to 6. This week the Maroons engage Arkansas on the home field, while the Barkers will try to play the anvil chorus for centenary at Lafayette.

Iowa to Nebraska  
Iowa scored its first touchdown in the year in obtaining a 7 to 0 victory over George Washington U. of Washington, D. C., at Iowa City Saturday. The Hawks go to Nebraska this week.

The coming weekend will be a large one at Columbus, for the Navy is journeying westward to engage Ohio State.

Not a game will play at home this weekend and play Pennsylvania. The Irish last Saturday continued to prove their superiority by defeating Carnegie Tech, 19 to 0, at Pittsburgh.

LEADERS IN SCORING  
CHICAGO (INS)—Three western conference aces, Carl Cramer of Ohio State, Stan Fay of Michigan, and Jack Manders of Minnesota, today were tied for high scoring honors with 18 points each.

Paul Pardonner, Purdue's sparkplug and quarterback, was next with 14 points to his credit.

The leaders:

Player	Points
Cramer, Ohio State	18
Fay, Michigan	18
Manders, Minnesota	18
Pardonner, Purdue	14
Reintner, Northwestern	12
Potter, Northwestern	12
MacDougal, Minnesota	12
Schneider, Wisconsin	12
Purvis, Purdue	12
Carroll, Ohio State	12
Edmunds, Indiana	12
Jones, Indiana	12

Billiard Tourney Opens in 9 Cities  
CHAMPAIGN, ILL.—(INS)—Divisional chess and billiard tournaments open today in nine cities as a preliminary step to deciding the national championship.

Five cueists will compete in the northern division tourney of the 31. The state section on qual in from Nov. 10 to Dec. 10, and on prairie chickens and cock pheasants Nov. 10 to Nov. 13.

## GRINNELL STILL HAS CHANCE WITH DRAKE FOR TITLE

### Creighton Team Also Has Outside Chance To Cop Crown

MISSOURI VALLEY STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct
Drake	2	0	1.000
Creighton	1	1	.500
Washington	0	2	.000
Grinnell	0	2	.000
Oklahoma A & M	0	0	.000

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS  
Drake 26; Washington 6.  
Haskell 26; Creighton 9.  
Grinnell; Carleton 13.  
Oklahoma A & M 13; Kansas 7.

SATURDAY'S SCHEDULE  
Grinnell at Washington.  
Creighton at Oklahoma A & M.  
Missouri at Drake.

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—As the November campaign of the 1931 Missouri Valley football season began today, it was apparent that Drake university's traditional rival, Grinnell college, is the only school that can possibly interfere with the Bulldogs annexing the title.

The pioneers open their conference schedule next Saturday against the Washington Bears who already have gone down before Drake and Creighton this year. After that contest the Grinnell team meets Creighton and Drake on successive week-ends and will, if they also defeat Creighton, enter the bitter struggle here with the Bulldogs for the leadership in the Valley with two victories and no defeats.

Another important conference game which might be the deciding factor in the race is the Oklahoma Aggie-Creighton game at Stillwater Saturday.

Creighton Has Chance  
If Creighton can overthrow the Aggies and turn back the Grinnell team the next Saturday they will wind up with three victories and one defeat, capturing the crown from Drake if the Bulldogs lose to Grinnell.

Drake proved its superiority over Washington university last Saturday night by mauling the Bears 26 to 6 with its full strength for the first time since the Notre Dame game, the Bulldogs, led by Lansrud and Lindstrom, their great ball carriers, controlled the play the entire game.

In the other game Saturday Oklahoma was too powerful for Kansas and captured the tilt by a score of 13 to 7. It was the Aggies fourth victory of the season against two defeats.

Grinnell Beats Carleton  
Grinnell defeated Carleton, 19 to 13, and Haskell overwhelmed the Bluejays, 28 to 0 in the games involving Valley members Friday night.

Eldon Lindstrom and Lloyd Lansrud, the Drake stars, relegated Collin of Creighton, former leader, to third place in the conference individual scoring race Saturday.

Lindstrom led the field with three touchdowns and one point after touchdown for a total of 19 points, while Lansrud had three touchdowns and one point after touchdown, adding six points to his total in the Washington game while Lansrud added two touchdowns.

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS  
DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—Individual scoring leader of the Missouri Valley Conference today: The standings for valley conference games:

T.P.A.T.F.G.T.

Player	Points
Lindstrom, Drake	19
Lansrud, Drake	13
Collin, Creighton	12
Gordon, Creighton	12
McGavock, 185; W. Van Zyle, 185; Fred Nesper, 184; L. Grimm, 183; Mark Taylor, 181; H. Bierman, 177; C. Nolan, 176; V. Oostendorp, 175; L. Kautz, 175; M. McCullough, 174; Capt. Dober, 174; Charles Kautz, 174; G. Barnard, 170; E. Campbell, 169; J. G. Johnson, 168; Tom Chelf, 168; Carl Kautz, 167; Robert Hunter, 165; Dick Mitchell, 164; W. Collins, 164; Lane, 162; R. Meisner, 162; L. Stalkfleet, 159; L. Spridgeon, 156; Bowers, 153; E. Tobias, 152; J. Strain, 150; F. Taylor, 148; A. Schmickel, 145; Ted McGill, 144, and Ted Hart, 143.	

The two-man team composed of Curtis Cramer and Fred Nesper placed second in the team match with a score of 376 while Fred Stroup and Clarence Nolan ranked third in this shoot with a score of 367. Firing was over the 100 yard course at a small bore target. Shooting was at a prone position.

Lewis Meets Zbysko Tonight for Charity  
CHICAGO (INS)—Ed "Strangler" Lewis will meet Wladek Zbysko tonight in the feature match of a wrestling card at the stadium for charity. The Lewis-Zbysko match will determine the world's heavyweight championship, insofar as the Illinois Athletic commission is concerned.

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## Mastro Trains for Title Bout



Earl Mastro takes his wife and 18 months old daughter Adriane for a stroll. This is one way Mastro trains for his featherweight title bout with Champion Bat Battalino at the Chicago Stadium Wednesday.

## RIFLE CLUB IN ANOTHER SHOOT

### Many Shooters Take Part in Matches At New Range

Shooting a combined score of 376, Charles Robinson and Walter Van Zyle won the two-man team rifle shoot at the new Muscatine Rifle club range at Lowe Run Sunday afternoon. About 75 shooters participated in the matches.

Due to the fact that Van Zyle's score was lower than that of Robinson's he was entitled to the chicken which went to the shooter on the first place team that shot the lowest score.

Robinson shot a possible 200 while Van Zyle shot a score of 185.

Metheny Wins Prize  
Lyle Metheny won the individual first prize with a score of 495 because of the fact that Robinson and Van Zyle won the team prize.

Second prize, a bushel of potatoes, went to John Alexander, who shot a score of 194. The bottle of hair tonic which was donated to the shooter placing tenth went to McGavock who tied with Van Zyle with 185 but due to the fact that the former ranked higher on the check he was given the prize.

Several of the shooters competing shot high scores but the inability of their partners to shoot high ones also prevented them from ranking high enough to win a prize in the two-man team shoot.

Scores of First 40  
Following are the scores of the first 40 contestants:

Charles Robinson, 199; Lyle Metheny, 195; John Alexander, 194; Curtis Cramer, 192; Menzo Grady, 192; Fred Stroup, 191; H. Barnard, 190; C. Elder, 188; William Miller, 186; McGavock, 185; W. Van Zyle, 185; Fred Nesper, 184; L. Grimm, 183; Mark Taylor, 181; H. Bierman, 177; C. Nolan, 176; V. Oostendorp, 175; L. Kautz, 175; M. McCullough, 174; Capt. Dober, 174; Charles Kautz, 174; G. Barnard, 170; E. Campbell, 169; J. G. Johnson, 168; Tom Chelf, 168; Carl Kautz, 167; Robert Hunter, 165; Dick Mitchell, 164; W. Collins, 164; Lane, 162; R. Meisner, 162; L. Stalkfleet, 159; L. Spridgeon, 156; Bowers, 153; E. Tobias, 152; J. Strain, 150; F. Taylor, 148; A. Schmickel, 145; Ted McGill, 144, and Ted Hart, 143.

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## KANSAS AGGIES IOWA STATE TILT TO BE IMPORTANT

### Untangling of Three-Cornered Big Six Tie Is Due

BIG SIX STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pct
Kansas Aggies	3	0	0	1.000
Nebraska	3	0	0	1.000
Iowa State	2	0	0	1.000
Oklahoma	2	0	0	.000
Kansas	0	2	0	.000
Missouri	0	2	0	.000

KANSAS CITY (INS)—With the season half over, followers of the Big Six were looking forward to this week-end when an untangling of the three-cornered conference lead is due in the game between the Kansas Aggies and Iowa State at Ames.

The Cyclones' two victories, surprises that they were, were registered against Oklahoma Saturday by the margin of an extra point and against Missouri the week before. A real test is in store for them against the Aggies.

Should the Aggies win—as is expected—they will hold the lead in the standings with four wins and no defeats, Nebraska, the other member of the triumvirate, playing a non-conference game with Iowa, at Lincoln this week.

Nebraska stayed in the running by defeating Missouri by the close margin of 10 to 7. The game ended as Missouri was putting through a commendable spurt with the ball on Nebraska's one-yard line.

The Oklahoma-Kansas game at Lawrence this Saturday will be just another one of those things, with the loser dropping into the cellar position. Nebraska's one-yard line.

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Missouri, without a win to its credit, will engage in a non-conference battle with Drake at Des Moines Friday night.

GREFE LEADING SCORERS  
KANSAS CITY (INS)—Grete of Iowa State and Graham of the Kansas Aggies were leading the parade of scorers in the Big Six conference today with a total of 40 and 36 points respectively. Sauer and Kreisinger of Nebraska were next in line with 24 points apiece.







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—We Deliver—  
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Try Our Delicious Cold and  
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We insure Everything  
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**RAISE RABBITS FOR US**  
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Models 26, 32, 33, 35, 37 and 39.  
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Have been serving the public in  
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"Muscatine's Largest Roofing  
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Roofing For Every Roof  
Let Us Solve Your Roofing  
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Clean, Graded Materials  
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**JACOB STEINHECHT**  
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Prompt Service; Reasonable Prices  
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Durable—Economical  
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Burns all Coals, Coke, Wood,  
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For Prompt Estimates at No Cost  
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**Iowa Sheet Metal Products Co.**  
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Let Us Solve Your Sheet Metal  
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Sporting Goods for every Sport  
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"Muscatine's Practical Tailor"  
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ONE STOP SERVICE  
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**F. E. FORTY-TRANSFER**  
Local and Long Distance  
Piano Moving  
Used Cars for sale and trade by  
Grandview Sales Co.  
"Boosting Muscatine Always"  
Office: 114



## QUESTION-TIGER SLAYER IN JAIL

County Officials and  
Woman's Attorneys  
In Open Warfare

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Mrs. Judd, the sheriff declared that "I have not been able to cause Mrs. Judd to change any part of her shocking story of how she shot to death her two inseparable companions for whom she had often expressed a deep infatuated devotion."

When the new attorneys would move to prevent McFadden from having Mrs. Judd re-enact the slaying in the murder apartment today was not announced and it was thought unlikely that Mrs. Judd would attend the inquest tomorrow over the bodies of Miss Leroi and Miss Samuelson.

If present plans of county officials mature Mrs. Judd will make her first appearance before a Phoenix bar of Justice tomorrow when she is to be arraigned and denied "guilty" or "not guilty." Her attorney was expected to waive the preliminary hearing Wednesday and to agree to have Mrs. Judd bound over to the Maricopa superior court for trial.

Lucille Moore, state's star witness, who had been missing from Phoenix for more than a week, was found residing in Williams Ariz. Her whereabouts had been known by officials.

Miss Moore, a nurse, was responsible for throwing a bombshell into the civic and social life of Phoenix with a sensational story that Mrs. Judd became furiously jealous when she saw her companion, J. J. Halloran, wealthy lumberman, chamber of commerce official and leader of the community chest, in an affectionate embrace with Miss Leroi and Miss Samuelson.

—Mike Moore also told of the visits of three married "Phoenix Playboys" and prominent men from other cities to the apartment the women had occupied.

None of the playboys has made an attempt to visit Mrs. Judd since she was returned from Los Angeles last week.

Meanwhile physicians, business men and women of the "400" who believe their homes are hanging in the balance awaited impatiently and fearfully for Sheriff McFadden to "Get the Truth" from Mrs. Judd. The sheriff admitted failure in his first two "Star Chamber Sessions" with the "Blonde Tigress."

Dr. J. D. Mauten, county physician, declared today that "Mrs. Judd is rapidly becoming herself again. She slept soundly all night. Her wounded heart is healing and she is slowly regaining her vitality." A bullet was extracted from Mrs. Judd's left hand in Los Angeles. She contended it was fired by Miss Samuelson during the death struggle in Phoenix.

South Africa ostrich dealers say they have enough ostrich feathers in storage to supply the world during the present vogue for plumage on hats.

## Wapsie Bureau Will Elect Officers for The Year on Tuesday

Officers for the year will be elected when the monthly meeting of the Wapsieonoc township Farm Bureau organization holds its meeting Tuesday night at the South Prairie church. The business meeting, which will include a local program, will be preceded by an oyster supper at 6:30.

The Sweetland Farm Bureau will meet Wednesday night at the New Era community hall, and the Bloomington township bureau will meet Friday night at the grange hall.

## U. S. BUSINESS MUCH IMPROVED Patient Is Still Bit Wobbly, But Making Fast Recovery

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as an indicator of a material slowing down of hoarding."

Klein expressed the belief that once money starts flowing back to bank deposits, the favorable reaction on the banking situation will be felt immediately.

Renewed confidence and more money in bank deposits also will result in heavier buying, in the opinion of Klein. He explained that hoarding undoubtedly has resulted in a slowing down in the purchase of even necessities. With the normal fall season of buying present, coupled with remarkably low prices of many consumer articles, heavier purchases may logically result.

Big consumers—such as the large industries—also may be stimulated to purchase of necessary raw materials by the fact that some crude materials are advancing in prices and others are showing no tendency to fall farther.

By JAMES D. FOSTER  
International News Service Staff  
Correspondent

CHICAGO — (INS) — Old Man business, sick from disease called depression, is breaking out with a rash of prosperity and, having had his fever broken, is well on the way to recovery.

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## SMALLER NAVY PLAN ASSAILED

Naval Chief Attacks  
All Pacifists in  
Statement

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principles, he called stenographers away from their Sunday holiday and delivered himself of a vigorous onslaught against all propaganda organizations which seek to reduce the size of the navy.

His statement had no direct connection with the Hoover-Gardiner controversy. In fact, he dug into the files to find the "hand-out" of the World Peace foundation which alleged the American navy had spent \$553,378,505 in 1930 against \$242,856,711 by the British fleet.

Significantly, though, it came on the heels of a statement by Frederick J. Libby, executive secretary of the national council for the prevention of war, which aligned 21 pacifist organizations with President Hoover in his determination to extract an apology from the Navy league.

Is Of National Concern  
"It is a matter of national concern to the navy," said Adams. "That organizations within the boundaries of our country, without accuracy which could easily have been secured, interpret national defense statistics in a manner incidentally inimical to the United States, and in a manner favorable to the national defense interests of foreign powers."

One of the principal points of dissent between the president and Gardiner is the manner in which the Navy league has viewed the administration's naval budget for the next fiscal year.

Appointment by Sheriff Fred B. Nesper of Ralph M. Dull as special deputy sheriff to receive applications for drivers' licenses which are required after Jan. 1, 1932 under the new Iowa law, has been approved by the board of supervisors. The salary for the work was fixed at \$45 a month.

The appointment of Mrs. Maude Twitty as assistant county social worker in the office of Mrs. Opal Zimmerman Fore, has also been approved and her salary fixed at \$140 a month.

County Attorney Harold E. Wilson was instructed by the county board to take steps to compel Clarence Hargrave to keep obstructions out of the drainage ditch in section 2, township 78-3W.

Sheriff Fred B. Nesper received word today from G. E. Cress, secretary and treasurer of the Iowa State Sheriffs' association that he has been appointed to preside at the Seventh annual sheriffs' school of instruction to be held at Des Moines some time during December.

The topic for the program this year has been devised as follows: bank robberies by daylight holdups, bank robberies by night burglaries, payroll holdups, farm thefts and miscellaneous robberies.

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## St. Mary's Cemetery To Be Kept Lighted For the Next Month

Following the custom prevalent in several European countries, lights will be kept burning in St. Mary's cemetery here throughout the entire month of November. Two electric torches have been placed near the crucifix and they will be kept lighted throughout the entire month.

This is in connection with the observance of All Saints' period, All Saints' day which is observed today and from which Halloween or Hallowed Eve, is derived.

In Italy lights are kept burning on each grave throughout the entire month. Instead of electricity, however, lamps burning olive oil are used.

## RALPH DULL IS NAMED DEPUTY

Will Assist Sheriff  
With Applications  
From Drivers

Appointment by Sheriff Fred B. Nesper of Ralph M. Dull as special deputy sheriff to receive applications for drivers' licenses which are required after Jan. 1, 1932 under the new Iowa law, has been approved by the board of supervisors. The salary for the work was fixed at \$45 a month.

The appointment of Mrs. Maude Twitty as assistant county social worker in the office of Mrs. Opal Zimmerman Fore, has also been approved and her salary fixed at \$140 a month.

County Attorney Harold E. Wilson was instructed by the county board to take steps to compel Clarence Hargrave to keep obstructions out of the drainage ditch in section 2, township 78-3W.

Sheriff Fred B. Nesper received word today from G. E. Cress, secretary and treasurer of the Iowa State Sheriffs' association that he has been appointed to preside at the Seventh annual sheriffs' school of instruction to be held at Des Moines some time during December.

The topic for the program this year has been devised as follows: bank robberies by daylight holdups, bank robberies by night burglaries, payroll holdups, farm thefts and miscellaneous robberies.

"True," George M. Reynolds, chairman of the board of the National Credit corporation says, "The patient is a bit wobbly, but none of us after an illness such as business and industry have suffered, can get up and run full strength into combat of our every day affairs."

Public Loosening Up  
Mr. Reynolds, interviewed by the International News Service in his office at the Continental Illinois Bank and Trust company, of which he is chairman of the executive committee, believes the American business man and public generally is loosening up in spending. The result will be more exchange of currency and expansion of business in all lines.

"In the past three weeks there has been a general broadening effect in banking circles, and more confidence is being displayed, in all walks of life," he asserted.

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## DEMO'S PLANS TAKING SHAPE

Roosevelt Looks Like  
Logical Candidate  
For Presidency

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Chicago, accompanied by other Illinois leaders, for conferences with powerful eastern leaders, among whom is Al Smith.

These developments, seemingly unrelated, are actually linked closely together in the minds of practical politicians here, who are watching events with close attention.

It is more or less an open secret that those democratic elements which do not look with favor upon Gov. Roosevelt's nomination have been casting around for some time for a candidate to act as the spearhead of the movement to "stop Roosevelt." They believe they have found their man in Maryland's four-time governor.

Roosevelt Makes Program  
The Roosevelt candidacy has been progressing at a pace which has been extremely disconcerting to his opponents. In the middle west so much progress has been made that the Roosevelt managers have boasted openly of a nomination on the first ballot.

Important party influences in the east frankly do not want to see Gov. Roosevelt nominated. They do not like his advanced views on the power issue, nor do they consider him positive enough in his opposition to prohibition.

While Roosevelt once declared himself against the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead law, as at present constituted, he has consistently refrained from any further mention of the issue, and went out of his way to throw bricks at the formula devised by Gov. Smith and National Chairman John J. Raskob last spring.

Significantly enough, one of

## Mayor Corman's first questions up- on reaching New York yesterday concerned Gov. Roosevelt's attitude on prohibition.

"Is he wet enough?" asked Mayor Corman, bluntly.

The Illinois leader, who has attained a control over his party reminiscent of Roger Sullivan in his prime, declared that "only a man of the Al Smith type" can carry Illinois next year, or be elected. The plain implication in his statement was to question whether Gov. Roosevelt is sufficiently of the "Al Smith type" to please Illinois democrats.

IOWA WOMAN HANGS SELF  
OSKALOOSA, Ia.—(INS)—Financial difficulties were blamed for the apparent suicide of Mrs. Amy Abbott, 70, at her home at Fremont, southeast of here, Saturday by hanging.

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## RALPH CAPONE LOSES IN CASE

Brother of Al Must Go  
To Pen in Tax  
Fraud Case

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the first of the Capones to feel the sting of the government's lash, federal prosecutors established a record for speed.

He was indicted on Jan. 1930, convicted in federal court in Chicago and the conviction sustained in the court of appeals on July 24, 1931.

The petition for review was filed with the high court on October 20. False statements charged.

In its indictment of Capone the government charged him with making false statements in a letter to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue offering to compromise his tax liability for the years 1923 to 1925 inclusive. He admitted owing \$4,082 and offered to compromise for \$1,000.

Giving his occupation as a gambler he said he had sustained huge losses and his only property was one-half interest in two race horses. The government claimed that he banked \$1,851,840 in five years and four months and that he made huge profits from the illicit liquor business.

He also was charged with concealing material facts about his income and with endeavoring to cheat the government.

Reverses His Conviction  
The circuit court of appeals reversed his conviction on one count of the indictment but sustained it on two counts.

Capone's brother, "Scarface Al," now is reported considering an appeal to the supreme court to obtain his release on bail after he was sentenced to 11 years imprisonment and fined \$50,000 by Federal Judge Wilkerson after being found guilty of income tax evasion.

The Capone case was the first of its kind to reach the high court since the government invoked the income tax law in its drive against underworld powers in New York, Chicago and other cities.

While the legal points involved were regarded by government attorneys as comparatively simple, yet the court's action was regarded as a smashing victory in the anti-gangster war.

Moose Team to Hold  
Euchre Tournament  
Next Friday Night

Members of the drill team of the Loyal Order of Moose lodge met Friday evening at Moose hall and completed plans for a public euchre tournament to be held Friday evening, Nov. 6, at the hall. Five hundred will also be played. Prizes for both games will be awarded.

Why men drink is what staggers the women; but what men drink is what staggers the men.

## Heavy Frost Occurs Early This Morning, Warmer on Tuesday

Muscatine was visited by a heavy frost early today, with a temperature of 36 degrees recorded at 7 a. m., by William Molis, local observer. General frosts occurred over the state with the first freezing temperatures of the season reported. Charles City reported a minimum temperature of 32 degrees. Keokuk, where a minimum mark of 50 degrees was reported; was the warmest spot in the state.

Fair tonight and Tuesday, with somewhat warmer temperatures tonight in the southeast portion, was today's forecast. Tuesday, the report stated, will be warmer in the southeast and extreme east portion. Cooler weather is predicted for the northwest portion Tuesday afternoon.

Today's 7 a. m., reading showed the temperature to be 4 degrees lower than on Sunday morning, when the thermometer registered 30 degrees. The river stage today was 2.1 feet, a fall of 4 of a foot in twenty-four hours.

## OLD-TIME IOWA MASON IS DEAD

WASHINGTON, Ia.—(INS)—Funeral services will be held here today for Martine E. Crossett, 87, one of the oldest Masonic lodge members in the state, who died at the home of his daughter here Saturday afternoon. Burial will be at Wellman, Ia., where he first joined the Masonic order 66 years ago.

## Mrs. Sarah Huskins, Lone Tree, Dies at Home of Kin Sunday

LONE TREE, Ia.—(Special)—Mrs. Sarah M. Huskins, a native of this community, died Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Baker. Sarah M. France was born Sept. 12, 1859 and was married to Richard Huskins on July 31, 1876. He preceded her in death on May 21, 1917. Surviving are four children, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. George Crawford of Lone Tree, Mrs. C. H. Edmonds of California and Mrs. Guy Kimball of St. Paul. One son, William, died several years ago. Two brothers, J. France of Davenport, and Henry France of Chicago, one sister, Miss Barbara France of Lone Tree, 13 grandchildren and six great grandchildren also survive. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from the Methodist Episcopal church. Pallbearers will be grand sons.

CAMPAIGNS ON CRUTCHES  
WAUKEGAN, Ill.—(INS)—James Simpson, Jr., young candidate for congress from Lake county, will do his campaigning on crutches for a while. His right leg was broken when one of his riding horses stumbled in hurdling a ditch and rolled on him.

## OCTOBER RAINS ABOVE AVERAGE

Total Precipitation  
During Month Was  
3.20 Inches

Rain, which fell on eight days during the month of September, amounted to 3.20 inches, as compared with 2.60 inches of precipitation during the same month in 1930, according to the monthly weather report of William Molis, local observer.

The heaviest precipitation occurred on Oct. 7 and 11, when .65 of an inch was recorded. The rainfall during the month was reported as follows: Oct. 4, .02; Oct. 5, .07; Oct. 6, .39; Oct. 7, .65; Oct. 11, .55; Oct. 13, .27; Oct. 14, .12; Oct. 15, .07; Oct. 22, trace; Oct. 23, .17; Oct. 24, .14; Oct. 27, .41; Oct. 29, .08.

Temperature changes during the month showed an average of 55.48 degrees, the highest temperature of 68 degrees occurring on Oct. 4. The lowest temperature during the month was 42 degrees on Oct. 17, 29, and 30. The average temperature for October, 1930, was 46.4 degrees. During the month there were 8 clear days, ten were cloudy, 3 were partly cloudy and 6 days were rainy. Fog occurred on two days.

The average river stage during the month was 3.2 feet. The lowest stage reached was 3.7 feet, and the highest was 6.5 feet. The average stage for October, 1930, was 3.7 feet.

## Auto Fees Received During Past Month Reached \$539 Total

Total automobile collections for the month of October amounted to \$539, it was announced today by William Wittich, county automobile clerk. Of this amount, \$34.75 was received in additional fees, \$12 for duplicate certificates, \$38 for trucks, \$6 for trailers and \$156 for transfers.

The number of automobiles registered was 69, of which 63 were automobiles, 5 were trucks and one was a trailer. Deductions amounted to \$69.54, leaving a balance of \$469.46 on Oct. 31, 1931.

## SERVANT GIRL HELD IN DEATH

Admits Helping Man  
Put to Death His  
Wife

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husband with whom she had plotted the woman's death. Maddux returned to the spot that night and slit his wife's throat, the girl stated. The woman's body was found Friday afternoon by a negro gathering firewood. The head was nearly decapitated from the body by three razor slashes. A nicked razor and an open ether can were found nearby. Parts of the razor blade were found in the woman's mutilated neck.

## COURT ACTIONS ARE CONTINUED

Suits of Patterson  
Against Canning  
Firm Deferred

Trial of the two suits of E. B. Patterson, doing business as Pat's Electric Shop, against the Midwestern Food Products Corporation, for \$278.20 and \$188.12, respectively, were continued today by Judge C. L. Ely until Wednesday morning. Absence of J. Raymond Giesler, president of the corporation, who was called to Milwaukee, Wis., on business, caused the trial of the two cases to be postponed.

A stipulation was entered into between attorneys for both sides to the effect that the items of accounts and the application for merchandise liens are correct. The accounts, it is claimed, were assigned by Patterson on Feb. 16 to the Sanitary Heating and Plumbing company, which in turn transferred the

## Maylone Sentenced On Check Complaint But Later Paroled

Joe Maylone, who pleaded guilty Saturday before Judge D. V. Jackson to a county attorney's information charging him with uttering a fraudulent check, was given a suspended sentence not to exceed seven years in the state reformatory at Anamosa, when he appeared for sentence before Judge Jackson today. He was paroled to Attorney F. L. Bihmeier, who represented him in court.

Maylone, who is employed at the J. C. Haslett farm near Muscatine, was given a preliminary hearing in Justice W. L. Mackey's court at West Liberty on information that he had issued a check for \$20 on May 7, 1931.

accounts to the American Savings bank. Allbee & Allbee are representing the defendant company, and R. S. Jackson is attorney for the plaintiff.

Basic economic conditions in Japan are reported to be improving

## TWO DIRIGIBLES VISIT CAPITAL

WASHINGTON—(INS)—The Navy's new dirigible U. S. S. Akron, accompanied by its "little sister" Los Angeles, arrived over Washington at 9:55 a. m. today. After circling above the White House, the Capitol and other capital points the ships will visit Philadelphia and New York.

CHICAGO HEAVY SMOKER  
CHICAGO—(INS)—Cigars smoked last year by Chicagoans would reach 12,256 miles if placed end to end, according to an announcement made today by statisticians of a tobacco company. It was estimated that 155,329,079 cigars were consumed in the city.



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# Broadcasts

## Programs for Tuesday

### WOC-WHO

(Central Standard Time)

7:00—Breakfast.  
7:30—Daybreak.  
8:00—Circus and Glenn.  
8:15—Orchestra.  
8:45—Program.  
9:00—Program.  
9:15—Program.  
10:00—Your Child and Mine.  
10:15—Household Institute.  
10:30—Opening Markets and Weather Forecast.  
10:45—Program.  
11:00—Program.  
11:15—Home Management Club.  
11:30—Farm and Home Hour.  
11:45—Program.  
12:00—Dance Program.  
12:15—Closing Markets.  
1:00—Piano Music.  
1:30—Program.  
2:00—Four Hot Spots.  
2:30—Tune by Two.  
3:00—Phantom Organ.  
4:00—Talkie.  
4:45—Baritone.  
5:00—Program.  
5:15—News Review.  
5:30—Musical Service.  
5:45—Program.  
6:00—Musical Service.  
6:15—Concert Ensemble.  
6:30—Limping Linotype.  
6:45—Concert Ensemble and Soloist.  
7:00—Plantation Program.  
7:15—Program.  
7:30—Music.  
7:45—Program.  
8:00—Orchestra.  
8:15—Weather Forecast.  
8:30—Incidental Music.  
8:45—Program.  
9:00—Orchestra.  
9:15—W. E. C. O. T. Owl.

### KYW

1090 Kc.—CHICAGO—294 M.  
(Central Standard Time)

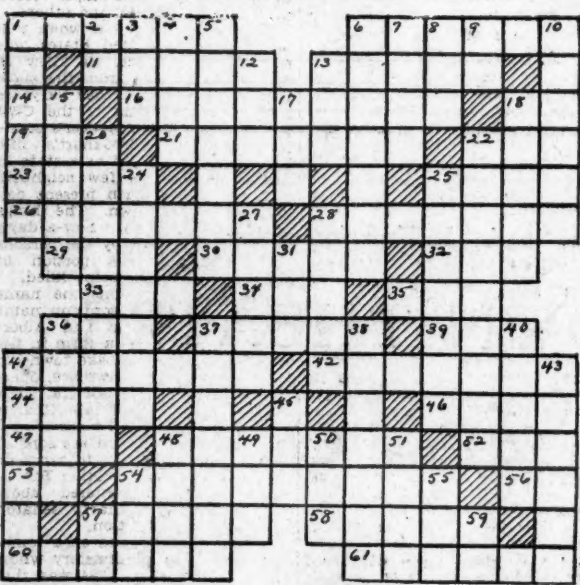
7:00—Musical Clock.  
7:30—Slayers of Skillet.  
8:00—Program.  
8:15—Program.  
8:30—Studio Music.  
8:45—Sound News Leaders.  
9:00—Program.  
9:15—Beautiful Thoughts.  
9:30—Farm and Home Hour.  
9:45—Program.  
10:00—Orchestra.  
10:15—Piano.  
10:30—Closing Stocks.  
10:45—Orchestra.  
11:00—Woman's Review.  
11:15—Aces of the Air.  
11:30—Program.  
11:45—Aces of the Air.  
12:00—Piano.  
12:15—Aces of the Air.  
12:30—Hailing Junior.  
12:45—Orchestra.  
1:00—Uncle Bob.  
1:15—Sports Reporter.  
1:30—Orchestra.  
1:45—Hobnob Boys.  
2:00—Program.  
2:15—Orchestra.  
2:30—Orchestra.  
2:45—Program.  
3:00—Orchestra.  
3:15—Program.  
3:30—Real Folks.  
3:45—Program.  
4:00—Sports Reporter.  
4:15—Globe Trotter.  
4:30—Orchestra.  
4:45—Program.  
5:00—Orchestra.  
5:15—Program.  
5:30—Real Folks.  
5:45—Program.  
6:00—Sports Reporter.  
6:15—Globe Trotter.  
6:30—Orchestra.  
6:45—Program.  
7:00—Orchestra.

### WENR

870 Kc.—CHICAGO—345 M.  
(Central Standard Time)

7:00—Bryncoaters.  
7:30—Jill and Judy.  
8:00—Home Circle.  
8:15—Program.  
8:30—Home Service.  
8:45—Program.  
9:00—Program.  
9:15—Program.  
9:30—Maze of Melody.  
9:45—Lady Next Door.  
10:00—Al and Pete.  
10:15—Program.  
10:30—Society.  
10:45—Orchestra.  
11:00—Air Juniors.  
11:15—What's the News.  
11:30—Lumber Jacks.  
11:45—Program.

## Crossword Puzzle



(Solution Tomorrow)

**HORIZONTAL**  
1—Fern leaves  
6—Reparations  
11—Open country  
13—Species of goose  
14—Long meter (abbr.)  
15—Exhausting  
16—Thallium (symbol)  
17—Troop  
18—An envoy's residence  
19—Seed container  
20—Day in ancient Roman month  
21—Only  
22—Took on a certain color  
23—Kind of fish, turtle, bird, beetle or ailing lean  
24—Compass point  
25—Indisposition  
26—Use (combining form)  
27—Dish  
28—Once around a track  
29—Presiding officer of some deliberative assemblies  
30—Pertaining to motion  
31—English nobleman  
32—Small valley  
33—Deveraux  
34—Rescues  
35—Animal mother  
36—Steamship (abbr.)  
37—Clingstone  
38—Tantalum (symbol)  
39—Rustles  
40—Wild night  
41—Made insensible  
42—Fruit (pl.)  
**VERTICAL**  
1—Something that serves to rouse or excite  
2—Cry of pain  
3—Negative (abbr.)  
4—Challenge  
5—Bank suddenly  
6—Coming up  
7—Large number  
8—Part of British Empire (abbr.)  
9—Part of the Bible (abbr.)  
10—Metal alloy used to join metal surfaces  
11—Debutante (abbr.)  
12—Baker (abbr.)

**Saturday's Puzzle Solved:**  
ALEXANDER SHEPHERD  
TANNED PERUSE  
IDOL DO  
EMIT LID USES  
JOT REPERTORY  
ETHEON FOR OR  
CONNECTED ODE  
TROD EARN WHEN  
ON PESO  
RAMROD NEEDED  
ICE REACT AYE  
FEW MEETS MEN

## SOLON

**SOLON, Ia.**—(Special)—A group of relatives of Mrs. James Jilovec gathered at her home Sunday evening and helped her celebrate her birthday anniversary. Mrs. Jilovec and Mrs. John Pavlik, Mr. and Mrs. John Peshek and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Urbanek and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cilek and son.

Mrs. Marie Byers and son Robert of Cedar Rapids is visiting with friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Teagel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trezel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dobner of Iowa City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Horn.  
Mrs. Rose Cerny and son Leo of Cedar Rapids are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Ruskak.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Hartman

have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorak at Mount Vernon.  
Mrs. Antonette Sedlack is spending the winter with her daughter Mrs. H. O. Horn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hruby and Mrs. Henry Horn visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Zenshek Tuesday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmitt and daughters of Cedar Rapids were Sunday guests of Mrs. Frank Jelonsek.  
Miss Alta Gibson of West Liberty is visiting her sister Mrs. Ben Whittington.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conklin and daughters Ruth, Helen and Lavada Rose left for their home at Cedar Rapids after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Mickey.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Kacina and

son of Iowa City were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Brock.  
Mr. S. N. Cambridge is serving at the federal jury at Lavenport.  
The announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Lilian Brokl of Ely to Russell Heinis of this city at Rock Island, Ill., during the past week. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Frank Brokl of Ely and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Heinis of Solon, he was born and reared to young man-hood in this community and is a graduate of the Solon high school. He has been connected with the L. F. Kessler garage the past three years.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kessley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Slaymaker and daughter Ruth, Mrs. Anna Kasper and daughters Wilma Dell and Del-

ma Dale, Henry Stahl and Henry Cambridge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cambridge.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Varnholt and daughter Ruth were guests at the Albert Hruby home Tuesday evening.  
Miss Hepper and Lyle Payn left for their home at Cedar Rapids after a visit with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Evan Payn.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bromek of Cedar Rapids visited with friends here Wednesday evening.  
Mrs. E. S. Bednashek is spending several days at her home while Mrs. J. F. Ilick is caring for Mrs. Joseph Brost this week.  
The Ladies Guild of the Methodist church will entertain Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors. The hostesses are Mrs. J. B. Griffith, Mrs. George Zajack, Mrs. Jo-

seph Unast and Mrs. William Smyth.  
The state highway commission is busy constructing snow fences on land along Iowa state highway No. 261 between Mount Vernon by way of Solon, leading to Iowa City.

**Crude Oil Prices Hiked in Oklahoma**  
TULSA, Okla.—(INS)—Unconfined enthusiasm prevailed throughout the oil industry following announcement Saturday of the posting of new price schedules calling for a fifteen cents a barrel increase for crude oil by a number of purchasers in the mid-continent area, effective Monday.  
Continental Oil company of Ponca City led the way with an announcement that it would post the new 85 cents top price for crude of forty degree gravity and above from the Kansas, Oklahoma and north Texas fields.  
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## "KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES"

**UNFORTUNATELY** FOR ALOYSIUS P. M'GINIS, WHILE ON HIS WAY TO THE DOCTOR WITH A SEVERE CASE OF HICCUGHS, HE FELL UNDER THE KEEN EYES OF THE LAW. "AH, HICCUGHS," SAID THE COP AND YANKED OUR HERO OFF TO THE BASTILE!!!

**YER HONOR, THIS** BOID WAS HICCUGHIN' IN TH' PUBLIC STREETS!

**LISTEN, YOUR** (HIC) HONOR—I WAS (HIC) ON MY WAY (HIC) TO THE DOCTOR (HIC) (HIC)

**A SAD CASE, RILEY!** LOCK HIM UP UNTIL HE PULLS HIMSELF TOGETHER!

**ON TH' LEVEL (HIC)** JUDGE, YOU GOT ME WRONG (HIC) LISTEN (HIC)

**DAWGONIT!** (HIC-HIC) THERE AINT NO (HIC) JUSTICE!! HIC HIC!

## Poor Al!

## "PAM"

**THE ELEVATOR** BOY HAS IDENTIFIED PAM'S PICTURE! HE IS NOW TRYING TO REMEMBER WHOM SHE WAS WITH?

**WHO WAS IT** BROUGHT HER IN, CHARLIE? SOME ONE LIVING HERE?

**OH!! NOW I** REMEMBER! MR. CARSON, IT WAS THOSE FOLKS ON THE 14TH, THE HINTONS! THAT'S WHO IT WAS, I'M SURE!

**ALL RIGHT, JOHNSON!** GET THE BOYS AND WE'LL GO RIGHT UP!

**OH—I HOPE** YOU'LL NOT MAKE ANY DISTURBANCE, OR—OR—SCANDAL, GENTLEMEN!

**SAY! WE'RE** DEALING WITH DESPERATE CRIMINALS! WE'LL TRY TO MAKE AS LITTLE FUSS AS POSSIBLE! BETTER HAVE ALL THE EXITS GUARDED, HADN'T WE, INSPECTOR?

## Shark Pulls A Fast One

## Lt. LESTER J. MAITLAND

## "SKY ROADS"

**INTENT UPON** HANDLING THE CAPTURED BANDIT'S PLANE, BUSTER DID NOT NOTICE THE STEALTHY MOVEMENTS OF SHARK NELSON, AS THE LATTER FREED HIMSELF, GRABBED A 'CHUTE AND THE TREASURE CHEST, AND—

**ALL SET! NOW TO** OPEN THE TRAP DOOR SLIP THROUGH AND IT'S THANKS FOR THE BUGGY RIDE!

**DOWN WENT** MEGNITY! ONE GOOD HEALTHY JERK AT THE RIP CORD AND I'LL FLOAT DOWN LIKE A CORK ON THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER!

**HEY! WHAT** TH' WHAT! AM I CUCKOO—OR HAS THAT PHRASE TAKEN A WALK-OUT POWDER? THE LOW-LIFE SURE WORKED FAST AND QUIET—BUT WHERE DID HE GO?

**THE NET IS** CLOSING IN! AND HERE'S POOR PHIL, NERVOUSLY AWAITING FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS! HE HAS THE MONEY WRAPPED AND READY!

**BULLETIN BOARD**  
SKYROADS FLYING SCHOOL ANSWER TO LAST QUESTION  
DEAR BOB: WHEN THERE ARE TWO STICKS OR CONTROL BRIDGES EITHER OF WHICH MAY BE USED TO CONTROL PLANE, IT IS KNOWN AS DUAL CONTROL SYSTEM!  
TODAY'S QUESTION—HOW DOES A PILOT KEEP HIS COURSE IN A CROSS-COUNTRY FLIGHT?  
ASKED BY SEEGER—277

## BUCK ROGERS, 2430 A. D.

## Stealthy Footsteps

## By PHIL NOWLAN and DICK CALKINS

**AT LAST I** WON MY WAY TO THE ROOM IN GRALLO'S PALACE WHERE SALLY AND ILIANA WERE IMPRISONED. NOW I HAD TO GET THEM OUT.

**THE GIRLS' JOY** KNEW NO BOUNDS. WHERE IS WILMAR?

**SALLY WAS FULL** OF QUESTIONS. LISTEN GIRLS, THERE'S NO TIME TO TALK. I'VE GOT TO GET YOU OUT OF HERE QUICK!

**SHHH! I** HEAR SOME ONE COMING!

**STEALTHY FOOTSTEPS** APPROACHED THE DOOR. SH! I'LL LOCK IT QUIETLY!

**THERE'S NO** PLACE HERE TO HIDE, IS THERE? THEY SOUND LIKE GRALLO'S FOOTSTEPS.

## THEM DAYS ARE GONE FOREVER (A New Tune Each Day)

**YOU'RE TOO** PARAN BASHEFUL—MUCH TOO SHY—YOU ARGU'N' BOLD ENOUGH—

**REMEMBER** WHAT I TOLD YOU NOW—YOU'VE GOT TO TREAT 'EM ROUGH

**THERE'S JUST** ONE WAY TO WIN A GIRL—BY USING CAVEMAN STUFF

**THEM DAYS** ARE GONE FOREVER!







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